

## SECRET INDICTMENTS IN ARSON TRUST CASES

Woman Accused of Collecting Insurance on Children Burned in Fire of Suspicious Origin

BOSTON, May 13.—Further investigation by the grand jury into the operations of a so-called arson trust resulted today in the return of 12 secret indictments. Evidence in possession of Dist. Atty. Pelletier, it was authoritatively stated, included the use of a woman who collected insurance on two

## IN DESPERATE FIGHTING

Battle in Douaumont Region Continues—German Vice Chancellor Resigns—Other War News

The Douaumont region on the Verdun front, where the Germans for more than two months have been held fairly close to the line of their original advance in the February drive, is again the scene of desperate fighting.

Violent bombardment of French positions in this sector yesterday was followed by strong attacks in which, according to the afternoon bulletin from Paris, the Germans suffered heavy losses and failed to gain any ground.

Across the Meuse, to the northwest of Verdun, no infantry encounters are reported, but the artillery is being kept busy, the firing on both sides being virtually without cessation.

On Russian Front

Vienna today reports continually increasing activity in the vicinity of the Volynian fortress triangle on the Russian front. The moves of the opposing commanders, however, have not yet resulted in decisive results for either side nor have there been important shifts in the line along the Austro-Italian front.

Dr. Delbrueck Resigns

The resignation of Dr. Clemens Delbrueck, German vice chancellor and minister of the interior, is announced from Berlin. Ill-health is given as the reason for his withdrawal from official life.

Disaffection has been widely expressed in Germany recently with the ministerial handling of the food situation as an outgrowth of which riots have been reported, and there have been hints recently that the resignation of Dr. Delbrueck was imminent in this connection.

Berlin declares that the French have been attempting in various attacks to regain ground west of the Meuse but without success.

Repulse of French attacks near Verdun hill and efforts to advance in the Avocourt and Malancourt woods is reported, as is the breaking up of an attack on a German position in the quarry near the Abain woods, east of the Meuse in which the French met with considerable losses.

BERLIN ANNOUNCES THAT MINISTER DELBRUECK HAS RESIGNED

AMSTERDAM, via London, May 13.—Despatches from Berlin state that the resignation of Clemens Delbrueck, minister of the interior and vice chancellor, has been officially announced there. Minister Delbrueck has offered his resignation on account of illness which will require long treatment. No immediate appointment of his successor is expected.

Clemens Delbrueck has been minister of the interior since July, 1914. In the last few months he has been the subject of attacks in the German newspapers on account of the food situation.

INCREASED ACTIVITY ON RUSSIAN FRONT BEING MAINTAINED

BERLIN, May 13.—(By wireless to Sayville)—The official Austrian statement of May 12 follows:

"Russian front: The increased activity on the Volynian section of the front is being maintained. There were

children who were burned to death in a fire of suspicious origin. Another case which was the subject of inquiry related to the burning of a factory in which two firemen were killed and several injured. The grand jury a month ago returned several indictments of a similar nature upon which men are now awaiting trial.

no events of particular importance.

"Italian front: Artillery combats of varying intensity continue. Two attacks by the enemy against Mirafiori were repulsed.

"Balkan front: The situation is unchanged."

150 MILE AUTO RACE

19 CARS IN RACE FOR METROPOLITAN TROPHY AT SHEEPSHEAD BAY SPEEDWAY

NEW YORK, May 13.—Nineteen of the fastest racing cars manufactured in the United States and abroad have been tuned up for the 150-mile race for the Metropolitan trophy at the Sheepshead Bay speedway this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Twenty thousand dollars is offered in prizes and, judging from the speed shown in the elimination trials, new records on this track are likely.

The list of cars and drivers to start is as follows:

1 Sunbeam, six, Joseph Christensen.

2 Crawford Special, Dave Lewis.

3 Peugeot, John Aiken.

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5 J. J. R. Special, Bert Watson.

6 Maxwell, Fete Henderson.

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# DISORDERLY HOUSE RAID

Keeper Sentenced to Six Months  
—Autoist in Trouble— Other  
Cases in Police Court

As a result of a raid made last evening in a house at 50 Lee street by Special Officer J. H. Clark and Patrolmen Trefarfas and Fulton, Charles Johnson appeared in police court this morning charged with keeping and maintaining a house of ill repute. William Kerepink and Rose Morozowski were also arrested in the raid and were asked to answer to a complaint charging them with a statutory offense. John J. McClure appeared for Johnson, Frank Goldman for Kerepink and Edward J. Tierney for the girls.

Special Officer Clark testified that the house in Lee street has been under surveillance for some time and that the raid was made last evening under the orders of Supl. Welch. He said that when he and his brother officers entered the house last evening, they found Kerepink and the girl in a room, with the door locked. Officer Clark said he commanded the persons inside the room to open the door and that when his request was not complied with, he broke into the room. He said the room and its surroundings were in a very disorderly condition. He also said he had obtained other evidence that Johnson kept and maintained the house in question for immoral purposes. The evidence offered by Officers Trefarfas and Fulton substantiated Officer Clark's testimony.

As it was Johnson's second appearance in a similar complaint, Judge Bright imposed a direct sentence and ordered the man committed to the house of correction for a term of six months. Through his attorney, J. J. McClure, Johnson entered an appeal. Kerepink was fined \$10 and the woman \$20.

## Charge Against Autoist

William Manchester, charged with operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor, had his case continued for two weeks, and Endoriste Barrette, charged with driving a car without a license, had his case continued for two weeks.

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7-ply, 3/4-inch  
25 ft., all coupled, \$3.75

HOSE REELS

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battery, asked for a continuance of one week, which was granted.

## Larceny Case

The case of John Lira, charged in two counts with stealing articles from the homes of John Edmonds and John O'Malley, was called on continuance today. This case was called for trial Wednesday morning but was continued in order to give the local authorities a chance to look up Lira's record. The police found that one John Lira, a resident of Quincy, had been before the police court in Quincy several times within the past year, and the description of the man tallied closely with the defendant. Lira denied that he had ever been arrested and said that the Quincy man might have been his brother. His explanation that his brother's first name was also John didn't satisfy the court and Judge Bright ordered him to pay a fine of \$20 on each count.

## Placed on File

Richard Ganley, the young man who accidentally shot a young woman, named Miss Margaret Quinn, about a month ago in Perry street, appeared in court this morning and his case was placed on file. Ganley, it will be remembered was showing a revolver to his chum, William Keene, when it was accidentally discharged, the bullet striking Miss Quinn. Ganley was represented by George Toye.

## Drunk Cases

John Sousek was given six weeks in which to pay a fine of \$5 for drunkenness, and Francis Phelan, a Fitchburg resident, was ordered to pay a fine of \$15 for over indulgence. A woman who appeared in court on Wednesday in such a condition that she couldn't answer to the court when her name was called, was allowed to go free this morning on condition that she will abstain from alcoholic beverages for one year. Several were placed on probation.

## SUN BREVITIES

Best printing: Tobin's, Asso. Bldg. Goodrich tires, Beharrell. When you have any real estate to sell, consult E. Donohoe, 228 Hildreth bldg. Telephone.

The Bohn Syphon refrigerator produces a rapid circulation of cold dry air. See them at Adams & Co's.

Mrs. E. A. McQuade of Andover street will hold a whist party with special features next Friday evening at her home for the benefit of St. Peter's orphanage. A large patronage is assured.

The ambulance was summoned to the Tremont & Suffolk mills this morning to remove Manuel Francis, an employee who had two of his fingers crushed while working around a machine. The injured man was taken to his home, 20 Bradford street, where he received treatment.

Mrs. Hilda Lee Drew attended the commencement week exercise of the Emerson College of Oratory in Boston and the annual alumnae banquet at the Vendome hotel, Thursday evening. The exercises were brilliant and most interesting. This was one of the largest classes in the history of the college for 36 years, and every class was represented.

Deputy Grand Chancellor Fred B. Merrow of Haverhill and his suite were the guests of the members of Chevalier-Middlesex, Knights of Pythias at their regular meeting last evening at Highland hall. A buffet luncheon was served and a delightful musical program was given. The local committee in charge of the reception was headed by H. G. Jones.

Among the United States letters patients of local interest recently issued, to Charles A. Le Due and Harry Snider, secured through the office of Gen. Gardner W. Pearson, is one on a die intended principally for cutting shoe uppers. This die is reversible and is provided with counting mechanism whereby much space is saved and there is very little chance of error in the count.

A fire in a freight car in Jackson street at about 7:45 last evening was responsible for the ringing of an alarm from box 25. The car was filled with baled cotton consigned to the Hamilton Manufacturing Co. Large volumes of smoke poured from the car which was badly damaged by the flames. The fire department arrived on the scene quickly and threw as many bales as possible into the street to prevent their destruction.

A well attended dancing party was conducted last evening in Hibernian hall by the Young Ireland Athletic association, and the affair proved both enjoyable and successful. Sheehan's orchestra furnished music for a score or more dance numbers and at later mission refreshments were served. James A. McQuade was general manager and Frank Brick, the floor director.

Lincoln hall last evening was the scene of a very enjoyable "wanton party" conducted by young women employees of the C. F. Hatch Co. The hall was prettily decorated with many colored streamers and draperies and Neyman's orchestra furnished music for dancing which lasted until midnight. The affair was the second annual of its kind. Miss Myrtle Emerson and Helen and Jennie Southard, assisted by other young women of the concern, had charge of the arrangements.

The second anniversary of the founding of the Frohman Flaming society was observed in a fitting manner at Highland hall last evening. The affair consisted of a musical program followed by general dancing. The opening number was by the society, and others who took part in the program were Miss Martha Wagoner, Mrs. Day French, Misses Lena Prescher, Sophie Thumme and others. The callers in charge of the enjoyable affair were as follows: Managers, Carl Kellner, floor director, Ernest W. Smer, Sr., aids, Mrs. E. Wagoner, Mrs. A. Schramm, Mrs. H. Glendard, Miss Sophie Boehme, Miss Sophie Thumme, Miss Lena Prescher, Miss Emma Thumme and Messrs. H. Glendard, Wm. Becht, A. Schramm, E. Wagoner, Jr.

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## DEATHS

**HACKETT**—John H. Hackett died today at his home, 14 Wamest street, of a heart ailment. He was 68 years of age. The funeral will be held at the funeral parlors of Higgins Bros.

**HATHAWAY**—Miss Emma L. Hathaway died May 9 in Mattapan after a long illness. She was 72 years of age. The funeral will be held at the Kirk street church.

**CAKELAPOS**—Charles Cakelapos, infant son of Sarantos and Ellen, died yesterday at the Lowell General hospital, aged 6 months. Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at the Greek Orthodox church at 4 o'clock. Rev. Hariton Panagopoulos officiating. Burial was in the West-End cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Mr. Panagopoulos. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker C. H. Malley.

**GALLAGHER**—Hugh J. Gallagher, a prominent resident of the city, died today at his home, 382 Central street after a brief illness, aged 65 years. Deceased was born in Ireland and came to Lowell at the age of 15. A few years after his arrival in this city he became a stationary fireman and worked at his trade until about ten years ago when he secured employment as watchman at the Federal Shoe Co., position he held until the time of his death. Deceased leaves to mourn his loss his wife, Ellen; three brothers, Peter, Frank and James J. Gallagher. He was a prominent member of Court Middlesex, P. O. A.

**MESSENGER**—Mrs. Alice Queenan Messenger died today at St. John's hospital, aged 36 years. She leaves to mourn her loss a husband, Elmer C. Messenger, two sons, Mrs. James H. Scouting and one brother, Frank Queenan, three children, Anna May, Elmer and Gertrude. The body was removed to the funeral parlors of Higgins Bros.

## FUNERALS

**RYAN**—The funeral of the late Patrick J. Ryan took place this morning at 8:30 o'clock from his late home, 121 South street, and was well attended. The funeral cortege proceeded to St. Peter's church where at 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Patrick Crayton. Among the floral offerings were pieces from the family, Mrs. Campbell and family, May Mealy, Ellen Shannon and Miss Mary Quibach. The bearers were Charles McNulty, Michael Ryan, Michael McNulty and Edward Campbell, Jr. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the final prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Crayton. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

**CON**—The funeral of Mrs. Ellen Cox took place yesterday afternoon from her home, 4 Everett street. The bearers were Messrs. Joseph McDonough, Michael Fulton, Patrick Gleason and William Welch. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Owen P. McQuade, O.M.E. Undertakers James W. McKenna was in charge of the funeral arrangements.

**MULVEY**—The funeral of Thomas P. Mulvey, the young man who was killed by a fall from a train in Haverhill, Tuesday, took place yesterday afternoon from the rooms of Under- takers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

day afternoon from the rooms of Under- takers James F. O'Donnell & Sons. The bearers were Messrs. Matthew Conley, Thomas Conley, Michael Lannon and James Lannon, four uncles of the deceased. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Francis J. Mullin of St. Michael's church.

**DEWIRE**—The funeral of the late Thomas B. Dewire took place this morning at 8:30 o'clock from his home, 502 School street and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends, including a number from out of town, also the following delegations: Lowell Aerie of Eagles, John Ryan, Dominick W. Monahan, James Courtney and George H. McCabe, P.W.P. Gas Workers association, Denis O'Donoghue, Michael E. Powers, John Ryan and Michael Cavanaugh. The cortege proceeded to St. Patrick's church where at 9 o'clock a mass of requiem was sung by Rev. James Kerrigan. There were many beautiful floral tributes, including a yellow inscribed "Husband and Papa" from the family, and pieces from Mrs. L. P. Flannery, the Lowell Gas Workers association, Mrs. W. Saunders, Mrs. McDermott, Mrs. Dunbar, Mrs. McMan- non, the Misses Hazel and Lillian Abbott, Mrs. Knowles, Mrs. Thompson and Miss Donaldson, S. H. Rostler & Sons and Harry Clifton and family. The members of the local Aerie of Eagles gathered at the home last night at 8 o'clock and the ritual of the order as prescribed for deceased members was exemplified by Worthy President Patrick McCann, assisted by Brother Richard A. Griffith. The bearers were J. McDermott, M. Monahan, D. Monahan, G. Belanger, B. Flynn and Kneels. At the grave Rev. Fr. Kerrigan read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Pat-

## REPORT OF DEATHS

For the Week Ending May 13, 1916

5—George W. Brothers, 69, angina pec- toris.

John Weniczki, 2 m. lob. pneu- monia.

Frank A. Bowen, 64, ac. cardiac di- lated.

Virgil J. Fee, 68, cer. hemorrhage.

6—Daniel Lobas, 1, lob. meningitis.

Mary Cote, 11 m. ac. bronchitis.

Bridge Crowley, 64, carcinoma.

Edna Strange, 12, chr. par. neph- ritis.

Winifred Monroe, 62, arterio-sclero- sis.

Pauline Hebert, 1, lob. pneumonia.

James F. Smith, 61, arterio-sclerosis.

Susan F. Beltrine, 69, cancer.

7—Patrick Riley, 65, disease of the heart.

Julia A. Carroll, 65, carcinoma.

Jadwiga Kowalewska, 1, lob. men- ingitis.

Eliza Keating, 66, fatty degenera- tion of heart.

8—Edwin B. Stewart, 57, accident.

Alice Winslow, 11, cer. hemorrhage.

Doris Cordingly, 52, disease of the heart.

Pierre Hett, 59, broncho-pneumonia.

Mary E. St. Lawrence, 40, pulm. tuberculosis.

10—Constantine Skaperdas, 3, ep. cer. men- ingitis.

Leonida Kakkelopoulis, 1, diphtheria.

Mary McMillan, 68, lob. pneumonia.

Ellen Cox, 46, post part. hemor- rhage.

Rose Silva, 11 m. epn. debility.

Dennis Madden, 55, cancer.

Patrick J. Ryan, 65, lob. pneumonia.

Agnes A. Gray, 59, post operative ileus.

Thomas B. Dewire, 41, pulm. tuber- culosis.

11—Patrick Kane, 64, arterio sclerosis.

12—Augusta Fals, 1, con. heart dis- ease.

Evangelos Kontis, 6 m. broncho- pneumonia.

Charles Cakelapos, 6 m. pulm. tu- berculous.

James Cook, 63, pulm. tuberculosis.

Stephen Flynn, City Clerk.

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**KANE**—The funeral of the late Patrick Kane took place this morning at 9:30 o'clock from the chapel of James F. O'Donnell & Sons and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to St. Patrick's church where at 9:45 o'clock a mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Timothy Callahan. There were many beautiful floral tributes, including a large wreath from the wife, wreath with ribbon inscribed "Good Bye Grandpa Kane." Miss Marion Fraser, and pieces from Mr. and Mrs. Richard Noonan, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, Mrs. Katherine Kane and Miss Kane and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Farley. The bearers were Michael Kiernan, Patrick Smith, James J. Kane and Charles Smith. At the grave Rev. Father Callahan read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

**DESMARIS**—Mrs. Onesime Desmarais nee Delphine Desrochers, a prominent and highly respected resident of West Centralville, died this morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Bourret, 391 Lakeview avenue, after a lingering illness borne with fortitude and resignation. Mrs. Desmarais was a resident of this city for over 25 years. She was a kind mother and a true Christian and her sterling qualities created for her a host of friends, who will leave with grief her demise. Deceased was 73 years, 10 months and 6 days old and was a member of the Third Order of St. Francis and St. Anne's sodality of St. Louis' parish. She leaves to mourn her loss four sons, Joseph of Derry, N. H., Napoleon, Albert and Edmond, St. Desmarais of this city, and two daughters, Mrs. Auguste Jodoin and Mrs. Charles E. Bourret.

**McMILLAN**—The funeral of Miss Mary McMillan was held at the rooms of Undertaker George W. Healey, 73 Branch street yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Caleb E. Fisher, D.D., pastor of the First Universalist church. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to extend our most sincere thanks to all our friends and neighbors for their kind and generous spiritual bouquets and beautiful floral tributes during our recent bereavement.

St. Lawrence and Bellegarde families.

## FUNERAL NOTICES

**COOK**—The funeral of the late James Cook will take place Sunday After- noon. Services will be held at the funeral parlors of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons at 2 o'clock. Friends invited. Burial will be in the Edson cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

**PULLER**—Died in this city May 13, at her home, 10 West Meadow road, Miss Emma Josephine Puller, aged 73 years. Funeral services will be held from the home of Miss Martha P. Worcester, 81 Sherman street on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Friends are invited. The interment will be in the family lot in the Lowell cemetery and will be private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers Simmons & Brown.

**GALLAGHER**—The funeral of Hugh J. Gallagher will take place Monday morning at 8 o'clock from his home, 382 Central street. A high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Peter's church. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

**MESSENGER**—The funeral of Mrs. Alice Queenan Messenger will take place Monday morning at 8 o'clock from the funeral parlors of Higgins Bros., on Lawrence street. High mass of requiem will be celebrated at the Immaculate Conception church at 9 o'clock. Burial will be placed in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral in charge of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

**O'NEILL**—The funeral of the late David O'Neill will take place Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock from his home, 569 Broadway. A high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

## REPORT OF DEATHS

For the Week Ending May 13, 1916

5—George W. Brothers, 69, angina pec- toris.

John Weniczki, 2 m. lob. pneu- monia.

Frank A. Bowen, 64, ac. cardiac di- lated.

Virgil J. Fee, 68, cer. hemorrhage.

6—Daniel Lobas, 1, lob. meningitis.

Mary Cote, 11 m. ac. bronchitis.

Bridge Crowley, 64, carcinoma.

Edna Strange, 12, chr. par. neph- ritis.

Winifred Monroe, 62, arterio-sclero- sis.

Pauline Hebert, 1, lob. pneumonia.

James F. Smith, 61, arterio-sclerosis.

Susan F. Beltrine, 69, cancer.

7—Patrick Riley, 65, disease of the heart.

Julia A. Carroll, 65, carcinoma.

Jadwiga Kowalewska, 1, lob. men- ingitis.

Eliza Keating, 66, fatty degenera- tion of heart.

8—Edwin B. Stewart, 57, accident.

Alice Winslow, 11, cer. hemorrhage.

Doris Cordingly, 52, disease of the heart.

Pierre Hett, 59, broncho-pneumonia.

Mary E. St. Lawrence, 40, pulm. tuberculosis.

10—Constantine Skaperdas, 3, ep. cer. men- ingitis.

Leonida Kakkelopoulis, 1, diphtheria.

Mary McMillan, 68, lob. pneumonia.

Ellen Cox, 46, post part. hemor- rhage.

Rose Silva, 11 m. epn. debility.

Dennis Madden, 55, cancer.

Patrick J. Ryan, 65, lob. pneumonia.

Agnes A. Gray, 59, post operative ileus.

Thomas B. Dewire, 41, pulm. tuber- culosis.

11—Patrick Kane, 64, arterio sclerosis.

12—Augusta Fals, 1, con. heart dis- ease.

Evangelos Kontis, 6 m. broncho- pneumonia.

Charles Cakelapos, 6 m. pulm. tu- berculous.

James Cook, 63, pulm. tuberculosis.

Stephen Flynn, City Clerk.

**THE IRISH SITUATION**

LONDON, May 13.—John Redmond, the Irish nationalist leader, and Sir Edward Carson, the Ulster unionist leader, had the future of Ireland in their hands, if the two Irish leaders, representing the north and south of Ireland, can come to an agreement on the handling of the Irish situation, the British government will be ready to accept their plan.

Redmond and Carson, whatever differences may have divided them, are not personal enemies, and it is be- lieved they may be able to formulate a policy which will pacify Ireland, north and south, and bring the present troubles to an end.

What this compromise can eventually be, is uncertain. It is believed that agreement might agree to put the home rule bill in immediate effect if the two Irish leaders can make an agreement on that basis. It is not by any means certain, however, that Sir Edward Carson would be willing to go that far with a compromise plan.

**PRESENTATION TO MISS MCSKERR**

Mrs. Emma McSkerr, the well known bookkeeper at the local office of the T. Lee Life Insurance company, was presented a purse of gold last evening at a reception tendered her by

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employees of the office and friends, with the company, and congratulated her upon her approaching marriage. Miss McSkerr was taken completely by surprise but she made a fitting response, saying that she would always cherish her connections with the office and the members of the office force.

Following the presentation a supper was served by Calverly Harvey after which a delightful musical and literary program was carried out. Miss Cora Barrows was the accompanist of the evening.

## SPECIAL NOTICE

Mr. George Lynch, the well known wood dealer of Marion street, has engaged in the Meat, Provisions and Grocery business in the store numbered 139 Adams street, corner of Lagrange, which is known as the New England Market, where he intends in the future to have one of the best regulated stores in that section, supplied with everything in that line of trade. He has been fortunate in engaging the services of Humphrey Coffey, the well known provision dealer as manager, and under their management they will try and please all their old friends as well as new and invite the public to call. You will be sure to receive satisfactory treatment.

George Lynch, Proprietor. Humphrey Coffey, Manager.  
NEW ENGLAND MARKET, 139 ADAMS ST., COR. LAGRANGE ST.

## EAGLES, TAKE NOTICE

The next regular meeting of Lowell Aerie, No. 223, F. O. E., will be held at their new quarters,

**No. 52 Central Street**  
**On Tuesday Evening, May 16**

A large class will be initiated. Every member should endeavor to be present.

## BECOME AN EAGLE

Over 300 young men have embraced the opportunity now offered to become a member of Lowell aerie under the reduced initiation fee. Are you one of them? If not, why not? Do you realize that you are neglecting an opportunity to protect yourself and your family at a minimum cost? Do you realize that this opportunity may not be offered to you again? By a special dispensation of the Grand World President, the charter of Lowell aerie, No. 223, will be open to June 15th. If you have not already taken an application, DO IT NOW.

Remember that the Eagles have now a membership of over 1500, and a treasury exceeding \$25,000. That it is the strongest fraternal organization, numerically and financially in this city. That it furnishes reputable physicians to its members, and to their families, free of cost. That it pays a sick benefit to its members of \$5.00 per week. That it pays a death benefit of \$100—and that it pays them promptly. Do not hesitate. Become an Eagle. Application blanks can be obtained from the members and at the following addresses:

**JOHN M. HOGAN, 190 Cross St.**  
**RICHARD GRIFFITH, 31 Bridge St.**  
**WM. J. COLLINS, 17 Gorham St.**  
**J. J. GALLAGHER, 262 Merrimack St.**



## GREAT DOG SHOW

Largest Ever Held in  
New England at the  
Vesper Club

Social circles of Lowell, and more especially those who love and own dogs, are looking forward with eager anticipation to the great dog show which will be held at the Vesper Country club, Thursday, June 8, under the auspices of the Ladies Dog club. This is the annual show of the club which, next to the American Kennel association, is the largest in America. The shows of the American Kennel association are held annually at Minneapolis, L. I.

The officers of the Ladies Dog club are: President, Mrs. E. H. Seagrave; first vice president, Miss Fanny Brooks; second vice president, Mrs. T. F. Whittemore; treasurer, Mrs. C. F. Demme; secretary, Miss Rita Talbot. These, aided by an energetic committee, have made elaborate arrangements for the affair, and it is expected that the show will be the largest open-air dog fete ever held in New England. All of the principal kennels from Chicago, Philadelphia, and New York will make nominations, and exhibitors are looked for from New York, Philadelphia, Detroit, Portland, Ore., and many points in Illinois and through the middle west. A Lowell lady who is intensely interested in the affair says that it will advertise this city in social circles throughout the country as thoroughly as Mr. Hood's auctions advertise the city among lovers of fine cattle. It is expected that dog fanciers from all over New England will support the Lowell show and will be present in large numbers.

The list of special prizes numbers some three hundred objects and over \$500 in cash has already been subscribed. The show will have as patrons some of the best known women in Lowell, including: Mrs. Julian Talbot, Mrs. Joseph F. Talbot, Mrs. James E. Nesmith, Mrs. Frederick P. Marble, Mrs. Butler Ames, Mrs. Perry D. Thompson, Mrs. Charles J. Hood, Mrs. Harry Folland, Mrs. Warren O. Winsor, Mrs. Theodore E. Parker.

The judges selected are people who are all socially prominent: Dr. John F. De Munn, Brooklyn, N. Y., Boston Terriers and Russian wolfhounds; J. D. Comerford, Brighton, Mass., collies; I. W. Comor, Newton, Mass., St. Bernards; John R. Thornhill, New City, N. Y., Irish terriers; John P. Bowditch, Foxhounds and beagles; Robert Sedgewick, Jr., New York, Scottish West Highland White and Welsh terriers; Walter S. Gurnee, Jr., Orster Bay, N. Y., English bulldogs; Vincent Turley, Brookline, Mass., French bulldogs; George W. Quintard, Bayville, N. Y., fox terriers; Mrs. W. M. Van Buren, New York, Pekingese spaniels; George S. Thomas, Hamilton, Mass., general breeds and varieties, unclassified specials, etc.

Charles E. O'Connor, 36 Broomfield street, Boston, Mass., will act as manager of this show and the entries will close with him on May 25.

## FATE OF 15,000 UNKNOWN

WERE CARRIED OFF TO RUSSIA  
DURING RUSSIAN INVASION OF  
EAST PRUSSIA

BERLIN, May 13.—(By wireless to Sayville.)—The Chronicle of the Christian World, a religious weekly, says that during the second Russian invasion of East Prussia, in 1914, the German children and old men were carried off to Russia and that the fate of most of them is unknown, says the Overseas News agency.

"It is stated 50,000 houses were looted and destroyed, 13 churches demolished, 26 rectories and 13 churches damaged, and six clergymen with their families carried off."

## THE SPELLBINDER

Frequent requests have been made at city hall, recently, for better police and park facilities, and yet there is no more crime and no more parks, with the exception of the additional playgrounds. We have the word of Supt. Welch for the excellent condition of the city as regards morals and law-enforcement, which, recently, he made the subject of an address at a banquet. And yet more police appear to be needed, and the reason is obvious. The city is growing rapidly since the industrial boom struck it, and with the increased activity, and the increased population some of the police routes covering a great area which could be readily looked after in the past, are now too large for proper attention by one patrolman. Then the general adoption of the motor truck by business men, and the increased number of pleasure machines make it necessary to provide an increased number of traffic officers at the intersecting streets where traffic is continuous, and conditions dangerous. Mayor O'Donnell has been asked to place police boxes in Gorham street near Moore, although there is a box not a great distance beyond that point, and in outer Middlesex street near the city line. Those making the requests, evidently believe that the presence of the box assures the frequent presence of the patrolman. It will be noted that the locations asked for are at points where travel to and from two of the large munitions plants is greatest, to police courts always has its largest docket on Monday, after a day of leisure, excitement and bustle. Relative to the park system, people are beginning to appreciate the parks of Lowell more than they have in the past and are frequenting them more numerous. Since the coming of the herd of deer to Fort Hill, large crowds have been attracted to that picturesque but heretofore generally overlooked spot.

**Problem of Leisure Time**  
The demand for more and adequately equipped and supervised playgrounds brings up one of the latest of municipal questions, the problem of leisure time; in this particular case, as it relates to the children of the city. Policing, fire protection, education, health, sewerage, paving and water supply, have all been municipalities, and now the matter of leisure time is being considered throughout the country, having first been taken up in different cities, including Lowell, by private organizations. Children, between the ages of 10 and 16 have a great amount of leisure time on their hands. They attend school about 195 days in the year, and five hours a day. The rest of the time is their own, and they are not permitted to go to work during it. Upon how they utilize that leisure time depends largely their future. In olden days the children had wide fields in which to roam, but in crowded industrial centers, comparatively few have even a back yard and are compelled to find amusement on the public streets. If they seek recreation at the parks, invariably they are confronted by the ominous injunction to "Keep off the grass," and thus the park system allows them comparatively little opportunity for constructive play. If you watch them after school in the afternoon you will find hundreds on the streets, doing absolutely nothing, idling away their time, watching what others are doing. The work of providing a suitable opportunity for the children for recreation and play has been taken up by the Women's clubs of the country and by other organizations, but the question has now become a problem for the municipalities to take up and solve, and already Lowell has begun to do something in a small way.

The city of today is called a city of humanities. It builds hospitals for the sick, and hospitals for the aged; it cares for those afflicted with contagious diseases; it looks after the defectives, the aged and infirm, and while it was Grover Cleveland who once said: "It is not the duty of the government to support the people, but the duty of the people to support the government," the statement is reversed by the cities of today, and a helping hand is extended to those who are handicapped in fighting

the battle of life. The question of the leisure time of children is now classed among the obligations of the city along humanitarian lines. Hence, the cities have begun by setting aside places in which the children may play. On account of the crowded condition of most cities, but small spaces are available within a short distance. This fact has led to the question of supervision at the playgrounds for the purpose of protecting the rights of the younger and weaker from the older and stronger. But the playground supervisor has brought with him or her another advantage beyond that of protection, for many children know neither how nor what to play and the supervisor therefore instructs them in what has been aptly termed the technique of play, and with most beneficial results to all concerned. The question is now as yet, and it is hard to convince some taxpayers, and perhaps some city fathers of the importance of adequate appropriations for parks and supervised playgrounds, but it is growing in importance, and we will yet spend large amounts of money for constructive work in the leisure time of those who are to be the fathers and mothers and citizens of the future. This year's municipal council made one good move in adding to the playground system by acquiring land at Chambers street, and yet was adversely criticised in certain quarters.

On the question of the leisure time of adults much might be written. The police court always has its largest docket on Monday, after a day of leisure. The coming of the movie shows has done much to occupy the leisure time of the adults in cities, while it also has its special attraction for the children. More than 20,000,000 attend moving picture shows every day in America. And now many are advocating the municipalization of this form of entertainment, not only as a means of providing more elevating and instructive pictures, but also as a source of revenue to meet municipal expenses. Legalized Sunday baseball would go a great way toward keeping men out of harm's way during their leisure hours on the Sabbath, but such a proposition has a burglar's chance in state old New England at this time, and hence it's a waste of time and energy to advocate it.

Almost ready on Bridge

Next week the plans for the new Pawtucket bridge are expected to be in shape whereupon the permission to start work will be applied for from the harbor and land commission, and then they'll get started on the actual work, and there'll be a new bridge at the falls this year, after all.

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## THOUSANDS AT NAVY YARD

"NAVY DAY" PROGRAM ARRANGED BY MASS. AUXILIARY OF OF NAVAL RELIEF SOCIETY

BOSTON, May 13.—The Charlestown navy yard, in which forty vessels of war had been assembled, was visited by thousands of persons today in connection with a "Navy Day" program arranged by the Massachusetts Auxiliary of the Naval Relief society.

Among the principal demonstrations of naval preparedness were the maneuvers of the L-1 representative of the latest type of submarines in the United States navy. It was arranged that the little craft should submerge four times during the day. The launching of a torpedo by the torpedo boat destroyer, O'Brien, had an important place in the events of both morning and afternoon.

The fighting ships, ranging from the submarines to the super-dreadnoughts were dressed for the occasion. The only vessels without colors were ten submarines built for the British government by an American company and interned at the local yard for the duration of the war.

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## DELIGHTFUL CONCERT

FIRST OF THE SEASON GIVEN AT THE STATE NORMAL SCHOOL YESTERDAY

A delightful concert, the first of the season, was given yesterday afternoon at the State Normal school in Broadway under the auspices of the department of music of the school. Among the artists who took part in the program were Arthur Hackett, tenor, head of the department; Albert Edmund Brown of the school faculty. The members of the Glee club also delighted with several numbers, while the accompanists were Miss Gertrude A. O'Brien, Mrs. Arthur Hackett and Mrs. A. E. Brown.

The audience was large and appreciative and each number on the program was given a warm reception. The singing of Mr. Hackett was particularly good, while Mr. Brown rendered his numbers in his usual artistic manner. The singing of the Glee club was remarkably good, doing credit to the training the young women are receiving. Their part of the program was interesting because of its varied character, and the apparent versatility which the singers have acquired.

The names of the members of the Glee club are as follows: First soprano—Catherine M. Connell, Hazel Weinbeck, Grace Murray, Louise O'Brien, Jessie W. Brown, Margaret Garvey, Ethelred Hayes, Alice K. Ryan, Miss Valentine, Nettie Gingsburg, Frances Leggat, Doris Piper, Gertrude T. Carey, Margaret E. Cochran, Helen K. Gillen, Bessie A. Higgins, Mary T. Sullivan, Marie S. Dempsey, Freda E. White, Teresa O'Connor, Dorothy E. Burdick, Frances A. Gannley, Bertha E. Hanson, May J. Pratt, Lorraine A. Tardiff.

Second soprano—Genevieve A. Callahan, Harriet L. McAlmon, Lella Warkley, Clara Anderson, Mary C. Fanning, Irene F. Kline, Elizabeth H. O'Neil, Lillian C. Kenna, Alice G. Lynch, V. May Carlson, Marjorie F. Eastman, Helen C. Harrington, Margaret P. O'Leary, Mary E. Park, Mary C. Lafferty, Margaret Mullen, Lillian F. Baylake, Catherine L. Farley, Laura Henderson, Mary O. McQuillen. Alto—Hortense A. Lane, Gertrude E. O'Brien, Alicia White, Dorothy Lennon, Mary C. Comber, Mary A. Egan, Olive E. Messer, Bessie J. Bourne, Stella G. Maloney, Dorothy Driscoll, Jessie Cloby, Marietta B. Breakley, Theresa R. Glynn, Marion J. Phillips, Lillian M. Donahue, Helen A. Castles, Zilpha Wallace, Florence M. Gentry, Mary E. Early, Laura F. Joy, Lillian F. Swanson, Helene I. Mack.

**PRES. WILSON ON CRUISE**  
NEWPORT NEWS, Va., May 13.—The yacht Mayflower, with the president and Mrs. Wilson aboard for a week-end cruise, anchored off the ship yard here this morning from Washington.

The naval yacht Sylph was waiting off Newport News and soon after the president's arrival he and Mrs. Wilson left the Mayflower and went aboard. The Sylph started immediately for a trip up the James river and it was expected the president would visit the ruins of Jamestown.

No salutes were fired as the Mayflower passed Fort Monroe Monday, the day before.

## WALKER SHOE STORE

CHARTER AS A STATE BUSINESS CORPORATION GRANTED NEW LOWELL FIRM

Special to The Sun  
STATE HOUSE, Boston, May 13.—A charter as a Massachusetts business corporation was granted yesterday to the Walker Shoe Store, Inc., of Lowell, with a capital stock of \$5000, consisting of one hundred shares of a par value of \$50 each.

The officers of the corporation, and their respective stock holdings, are as follows: President and treasurer, Joseph Fredberg of 81 Nesmith street, Lowell; five shares; clerk, Henrietta D. Fredberg, same address, five shares; directors, the above and Samuel Fredberg, of the same address, 10 shares. Only 20 shares of stock are to be issued at the present time, and these are to be paid for in cash.

**Familially Breeds Contempt**  
The state senate had a hot fight yesterday over the bill providing that all applicants for licenses to drive motor vehicles shall be required to pass a practical test. At present chauffeurs alone are required to make an actual demonstration of their efficiency.

Senator George E. Marchand of Lowell was one of those who voted for the bill, but it was rejected by a vote of 20 to 15, after Senator James W. Bean had declared that the highway commissioners have found that by far the greater number of accidents happen to experienced drivers. When a man first begins driving a car, the senator said, he is always very careful, but as experience comes to him he generally delights in seeing how close he can come to an accident and avoid it, so that it is only a question of time when he gets over the danger mark.

If the bill were passed, he said, the highway commission would have to

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employ a large number of persons to make the practical examinations, and the commission already has in its employ enough men who have never driven a car themselves. These men would have to take applicants down to the busy corners in Boston, in order to give them a real test, and it would be inevitable that large number of accidents would result from the tests.

HOYT.

**ST. JOHN'S MAY PARTY**  
The annual May party of St. John's Ladies' Auxiliary society was held

last evening in the North town hall, and the affair successful from every standpoint.

Dancing was started at 8 o'clock to music furnished by the Crescent orchestra and continued until midnight, with the exception of a short intermission which began at 11 o'clock. During the intermission refreshments were served.

The committee in charge of the party consisted of the following: Mrs. Fallon, general manager; Mrs. Walsh, assistant general; Miss Mary Murphy, floor director.

Lowell, Saturday, May 13, 1916

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Ladies' Fibre Silk Hose—With lisle knee, gray, sand, Alice blue, white, black; were 30c..... **38c a Pair**

Ladies' Black Medium Lisle Hose—Linen toe and heels, seconds; were 25c..... **17c a Pair**

Ladies' Thread Silk Hose—Double soles, spliced heels and toes; were 25c..... **17c a Pair**

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## OUR PATRIOTIC DEAD

## MASS MEETING AT ASSOCIATE HALL TO DENOUNCE BRUTAL EXECUTIONS IN DUBLIN

The savage methods England is employing to terrorize Irish patriots have shocked the moral sensibilities of mankind. Men stand against at the proceedings of drumhead court-martials. Within the space of a few hours Irishmen have been tried, convicted and executed for the crime of loving their country. The military satraps responsible for this are executing the orders sent them from London. Stripes and spurs not in the program, they are called upon to carry out. There is no leniency extended to those who took part in the Dublin revolt. Neither is there any respect shown to the public opinion of the world. The press of this country has been unsparing in its denunciation of the vindictive spirit manifested by military courts sitting in Dublin. Irish Americans have been stunned as well as enraged by the exhibition of English savagery practiced upon their kith and kin, already public meetings have been held in Springfield and Pittsfield, Mass., and other places. Next Sunday evening, May 14,

a meeting will be held at Associate hall to voice Lowell's abhorrence of the infamous deeds perpetrated in Dublin with the full sanction of the English government. We know it is not necessary to urge the people of Lowell to avail themselves of this occasion to show what they think of England's brutal crimes against one who reads these lines will not only be present in Associate hall next Sunday evening, but will exert himself or herself to bring along friends and acquaintances. Let us show that we are not indifferent to the crimes perpetrated last week in Dublin and in Cork this week, by England's agents.

Associate hall next Sunday evening should be crowded to its utmost capacity by those who wish to register their condemnation of those crimes. Per order of the Committee of Arrangements, for the Mass Meeting.

## DIAMOND DAZZLES

Guerin, the little fellow who pitched seven innings in Wednesday's game with Bridgeport, is only 15 years old, but is one of the coolest pitchers in the league.

The Lowell batters banged the ball in fine style yesterday and all pitchers looked alike to Lord's team yesterday.

Torphy's tumble on an easy grounder was the only misplay made by Lowell and that was not costly.

Of five hits made of George Tyler of the Braves yesterday, two were home runs and two were triples. Braves won the game, 9 to 4.

Whittaker, a Lyon pitcher, got a single, a double and a home run in three times up off Gero of Hartford yesterday.

Jimmy Magee, the former Lowell outfielder, is playing left field for Billy Hamilton's Worcester team.

Danny Murphy, who is here as manager of the New Haven team, holds the world's record for batting in a single game. When he joined the Athletics he made six hits in six trips to the plate in his first game, the feat having been accomplished only once before, by Clarence Beaman.

"Bob" Desmond, son of Connie of Stockport street, the clever little mascot of the Lowell team, was attired in a new uniform yesterday. Bob's garments were similar to those of the players' home suits in every way and was held by the same firm, can stockings and all. The little mascot performed a little in his new suit by assisting in warming up some of the pitchers before the game and he has a little trouble in hanging on to their shoos.

Clyde Eagle, who has played on the New York and Boston American league teams, and who was third baseman for the Newark Federals last year, was signed as utility man by Manager Lee Fohl of the Cleveland American league team yesterday.

Hal Chase's sensational work with the Cincinnati Reds creates another good drama card for the National league. When Prince Hal was at his best, with the Yankees it was claimed that no first baseman the game ever knew was his equal. New York fans claimed he was even superior to Jake Daubert. But Brooklyn fans refused to believe that there was anything in the first base line superior to Daubert.

Joe Boehling's performance against the St. Louis Browns makes it plain that the blonde southpaw is going to be of considerable help to the Nationals this season.

Tris Speaker says: "I figured when I went to Cleveland that all I would have to do was to make a few hits, field a bit and run around through the motions. I saw only a joy season ahead. I found the Indians ready to play great ball, and I am sure we have a one-two-three proposition."

Pres. Ben Johnson says that the west never has shown such enthusiasm over baseball. "We are not worrying about the east," he continued, "as that section always gets going right not before June 1."

The Toledo American association club officials received word Thursday from Manager Bresnahan that Pitcher Collamore has been turned back to the Cleveland Americans. Bresnahan, at the beginning of the season, purchased Collamore on a month's trial for \$1000.

EDISON FAVORS ROOSEVELT  
OSTER DAY, N. Y., May 13.—Thos. A. Edison has come out for Col. Roosevelt for president. He has expressed his opinion of the colonel's fitness in vigorous terms, and, in the letter in which he makes his views known and which he has sent to the Roosevelt Non-Partisan league, he declares that Col. Roosevelt is the only man to be considered at this time.

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## A Lowell Interview

## Mr. Sanborn Tells His Experience

The following brief account of an interview with a Lowell man over seven years ago, and its sequel, will be read with keen interest by every citizen.

E. P. Sanborn, 88 Sheldon St., Lowell, Mass., gave the following account of his experience on July 24th, 1908. He said: "My back was very weak and lame and I suffered constantly from dull, nagging backaches and pains through my loins. If I stooped, I could hardly straighten up. My kidneys were weak and the kidney secretions were too frequent and burning in passage. I heard so much about Doan's Kidney Pills that I got a box. They strengthened my back wonderfully and the lameness and backache disappeared. The kidney secretions became normal and regular in passage."

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## HEIRS TO BIG ESTATE

## \$50,000 FOR MRS. ELVIRA GARY AND B. H. NICHOLS—A. S. NICHOLS MISSING SINCE 1865

BOSTON, May 13.—If Alden Stuart Nichols, a schoolboy in Charlestown when the Civil war broke out, had not enlisted and served in the Union army, his sister, Mrs. Elvira Gary of 47 Bayville street, Back Bay would probably never have known of his death in Aurora, Neb., five months ago. Also an estate of about \$50,000 would have gone to that state instead of to Mrs. Gary and her nephew, Bertram H. Nichols of East Washington, N. H.

Nichols died intestate last December. There were no letters, no papers to indicate any relatives. The Nebraska attorney general had started proceedings to claim the property when through the bureau of pensions at Washington and the office of the adjutant general of Massachusetts it was learned that Mr. Nichols was believed to be in Massachusetts regiment, the discovery of the heirs followed.

Yesterday Judge William L. Stark of Aurora, administrator named by the state, left Boston for home after taking depositions before Special Commissioner C. F. Raynor. Stark is believed to remove all doubts in Nebraska courts as to the lawful heirs to the estate.

## Always Fond of Sister

Mrs. Gary is a widow and lives with her son, Dr. H. H. Gary. The last word from her brother came to her in a letter mailed from Elyria, Minn., July 16, 1865, when she was 17. Bertram H. Nichols is a middle-aged man who is now farming. He is married and has one child.

The depositions have been taken in the last few days in room 1001, Carney building, 43 Tremont street, with Mrs. Gary and Nichols chief witnesses. Photographs, signatures, represented to be those of Alden Stuart Nichols, letters and other convincing documents were produced.

Alden Nichols, who had been an expert stair-builder, was a highly respected citizen of Aurora. He had lived in that town since 1878, and had never married. All this time Judge Stark had known him intimately and had heard him speak, always in the tone of affection, of his sister and his relatives with whom he had parted years ago back in New England. Shortly before his death he had talked of coming east again to see his sister. And 20 years ago Judge Stark had even drawn up a will for him, later destroyed, in which he provided for a brother, now deceased, and Mrs. Gary.

But when Mr. Nichols died suddenly, last December, at the age of 72, these names had passed from Judge Stark's memory.

## Shunned Women—Never Wrote

"Mr. Nichols was by no means a hermit," said Judge Stark. "But I never knew him to seek the society of a woman after he came to Aurora. And there is one explanation, I think, for this, and for the fact that he never wrote letters."

"We learned that during his six years residence at Lincoln, Ill., he became engaged to a woman who was killed in an accident, about 1869. Shortly before he had written home to a brother, I think, but he never wrote after that."

Once the war records provided a clue, Mr. Nichols' career was traced from the day he left Boston, through his wandering across the continent. First he lived near Winona, Minn., then at Garnett, Kan., Lincoln, Ill., and Red Oak, Ia., and was in California for some time before he finally settled in Aurora.

Judge Stark had taken charge of the burial. The local chapter of the G. A. R. attended the funeral and draped a flag over the casket. In the veteran's hand was placed a small silk flag given by the Ladies of the G. A. R.

## Action By Nebraska

Then, in the apparent absence of heirs, the state of Nebraska began its action for the estate, which comprised between 200 and 300 acres, valued at \$150 an acre, and \$15,000 in securities. Meanwhile, however, the activity of a Nebraska congressman had disclosed from the bureau of pensions that Nichols was born in Lowell, Mass., in 1814, and had lived in Boston and New London, N. H. Then Attorney Nelson Tunnichiff, now clerk, became interested in the case, and the missing relative was soon located. The Massachusetts records showed that when Nichols enlisted he was a minor and an orphan, and had to get permission from his guardian, a man named McCoy. A brother of the McCoy, now dead, married a daughter of Nichols. Then followed the discovery of Mrs. Gary, and Mr. Tunnichiff put in a claim on the estate for the two. The visit of Judge Stark and his conviction that Nichols and Mrs. Gary were the lawful heirs followed.

## DAILY DAY STAFF HEARINGS

Public Service Commission So Decides—Feustel Cross-Examination Nears Its End

BOSTON, May 13.—The public service commission will give hearings daily next week on the Bay State railway petition for the right to charge 5-cent fares. This decision was reached yesterday, as Attorney Wadleigh, for the remonstrants, expects to conclude his cross-questioning of Robert M. Feustel, the Bay State's expert engineer, by Monday.

Yesterday's session of the hearing ended in a disagreement between counsel and members of the commission as to the manner of proceeding with the cross-examination of Mr. Feustel and the presentation of the remonstrants' case.

NOTICE  
CITY OF LOWELL

You are hereby notified to file at the office of the Board of Assessors sworn returns of property, real and personal, subject to taxation on or before 4 o'clock P. M., Monday, May 15th, 1916.

Per Order Board of Assessors,  
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JEREMIAH J. SULLIVAN,  
DANIEL E. HOGAN.

## INDUSTRIAL AND STORE NEWS

Routine meetings were held last night by the Bricklayers' union and Municipal Employees' union at their respective headquarters in Middle street.

A spindle drive mechanism for spinning, twisting and like machines has been invented by Albert W. Thompson of this city. He has had the device patented and assigned to the Saco-Lowell shops.

Work has been started by the Bigelow-Hartford Carpet Co. at Clinton on extensive additions to its plant, permission for the closing of which was obtained from the Clinton authorities some time ago.

Tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock in Trades & Labor hall a meeting for Polish weavers will be held. Two Polish and Lithuanian speakers have been secured by the committee in charge of the meeting.

The opening of the U. S. Cartridge Co. Baseball league will be held on Monday afternoon but the parade and other features planned for the opening date have been dispensed with for the time being.

A meeting of the International Brotherhood of Stationary Firemen was held in Trades & Labor hall on Thursday evening, at which a gist of routine business was transacted. Several applications for membership were received and turned over to the investigating committee. The next meeting of the organization will be held on Sunday afternoon, May 28, at 32 Middle street.

## Industrial Preparedness

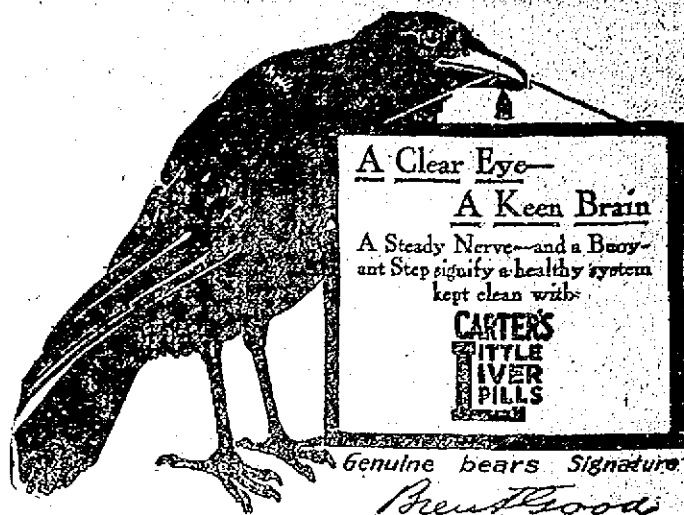
These are momentous times and the captains of the textile industry and their overseers never were so alert as

now. The pleas for industrial preparedness are being heard everywhere. Textile association after association has sounded a deep warning note and now comes into the list the National Association of Woolen and Worsted Overseers. Its industrial preparedness committee, appointed at the November meeting, met last Friday and has already drawn up the set of resolutions which are to be presented at the May meeting at Rocky Point, R. I.

Overseers, like the captains of the textile industry, have come to keenly realize that they are face to face with the serious crisis that is pending with the ending of the terrible conflict of arms now raging in Europe. The devastations of the foreign countries at war, with their lower plane of living incident to a lower wage scale, is a sure forerunner of the destruction of the earning power of American textile workers. If no provisions are made now to offer the tremendous amount of low priced foreign goods that will inevitably be piled into this country in competition with domestic products.

It is, furthermore, keenly and universally realized that every yard of foreign goods sold here fits the under the present tariff conditions will mean that one operative after another will quickly have his livelihood cut from under him as the avalanche of foreign goods begins to slide into the United States.

We are a nation of people who have established the highest plane of living in the world. We are a nation of people who are enjoying the things of life that are a luxury to our neighbors across the ocean. Shall we stand by and see those standards of living lowered and bring ourselves down to the wages and living conditions prevalent



in Europe. The answer is easily, no! But nothing of moment can be accomplished unless every mill man puts his shoulder to the wheel to help block such a competition. For that reason every member of the association should make strenuous efforts to attend the May meeting and by a record attendance convince our national legislators that the time has come to solidly protect from the low wage competition of the world our textile industry.

## ARRESTED TO SAVE LUNCHING

MACHIAS, Me., May 13.—A near lunching in the outskirts of this little town has stirred the residents to such excitement that Sheriff S. B. Woodman yesterday caused the arrest of four people, in order that they

might be protected from further threatened rough handling. Some 20 of Machias' male residents seized Ernest Hanson, clerk in the Machias postoffice, and took him out along the railroad. He and only his fervent promises to behave in the future saved him from serious harm. The victim is married and has a wife and two children.

## EX-BANK HEAD ACQUITTED

BURLINGTON, Vt., May 13.—George C. Averill, formerly president of the Vermont National bank of Brattleboro, was acquitted last night by a jury in the United States court of making false entries in his accounts. The case has been on trial since May 3. The jury was out something over 10 hours.

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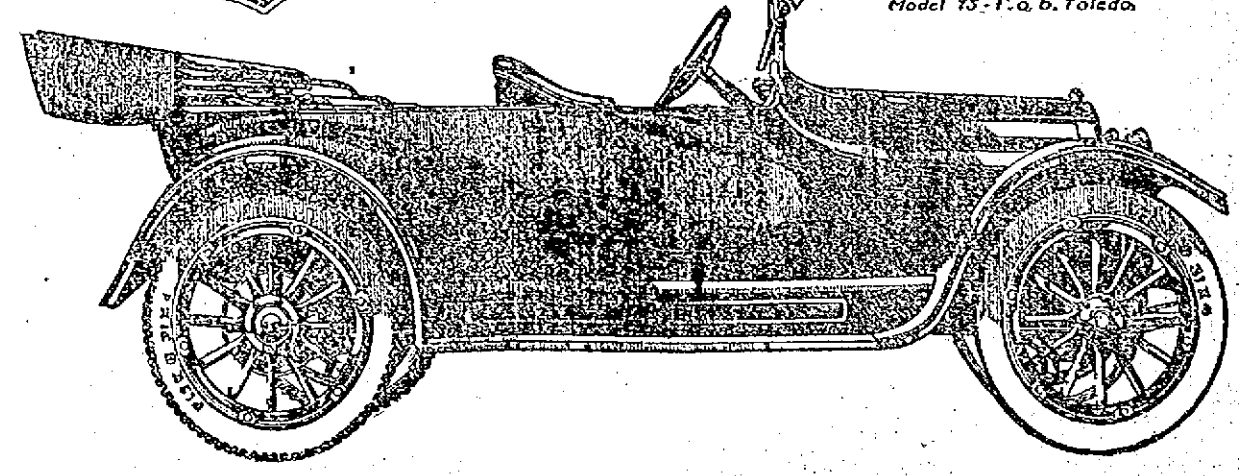
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## CIVIL SERVICE EXTENSION

Governor McCall in his inaugural address laid special emphasis on the need for civil service reform in Massachusetts and the legislature is about to pass on house bill 2123, which is said to be for the "extension and improvement of the merit system." If this bill is not made a political weapon or availed of for partisan purposes, there is nothing in it that cannot be supported by all persons and parties who really desire to improve the character of the public service, and to make personal fitness rather than political affiliation the determining factor in selecting persons for the classified service. One of the first provisions of the bill gives the civil service commission power to "investigate the conduct and efficiency of any person in the classified service and to recommend his removal or make any other fitting recommendation," but this power should be availed of prudently, justly and sparingly, otherwise all the other provisions shall avail little. In the past the high ideal of the civil service has been used to cover very low motives, and any tampering with the civil service for political purposes, by any party, will awaken a swift reaction.

Assuming that the bill is designed in all sincerity—and there is nothing to make one think otherwise as yet—it would prove beneficial to the public service of the commonwealth, it would raise the standard of the personnel and it would make for fairness in appointments. A follow-up system is provided for whereby standards of efficiency may be maintained after entrance to the service; work and salaries would be standardized so that those doing the same work may receive the same pay; inefficient employees would be unable to claim immunity and efficient employees would be given an incentive to effort; examinations would be made more in accordance with the needs of the positions and promotion examinations would be standardized.

The bill also provides for the extension of the civil service law to positions with the exception of deputy sheriffs and keepers of jails, the justices of the court and all officers and employees appointed by them or whose appointment is subject to confirmation by them. The civil service law has been extended to the 17 largest counties in New York, to 3 counties in New Jersey and to counties in California and the middle west.

An ambitious section of the proposed law would even place the heads of principal municipal departments under the civil service. Upon petition of 300 registered voters a referendum vote may be taken at any municipal election as to whether all or certain specified heads of principal departments shall be classified. If the city falls to classify such positions, the question of their inclusion shall not be voted upon again for the next two years. This is in line with the city manager idea and it is pointed out that in Massachusetts 20 out of 32 cities voted to extend the civil service law to the chiefs of police at the state election in 1911. Many of the cities that failed to classify the chiefs of police have since sought to do so by special legislation, and bills are introduced in the legislature each year to extend the civil service to this or that head of a department. The proposed law would do away with the necessity for passing special legislation for separate cases. We may not be ready for the full extension of the civil service classification as yet, but the tendency of the times is surely in that direction. The one great evil to be guarded against is the fastening of incompetent men upon the public service in a manner that would make them practically irremovable.

## PREMIER ASQUITH'S MISSION

Premier Asquith has an opportunity to restore peace in Ireland now that he is in Dublin. The first thing to be done is to stop the cruel and unnecessary military executions; the second, to withdraw martial law from the country; and the third, to order the home rule act put into effect as soon as possible, which would be about next September.

The execution of James Connolly yesterday, apparently after Premier Asquith had promised to stop such tragedies, adds to the horrors that have already shocked the country, if not the world.

Hon. John Dillon was stirred to his old time wrath in denunciation of the government responsible for these outrages and in his scathing assault he voiced the sentiments of the country, for no matter how grievously the men had been mistaken in the uprising, nobody wanted to see them made the victims of the military firing squad. The authorities seem to have lost their heads completely in this Dublin revolt. The fact that Germany had co-operated with the rebels seems to have incensed the British officials to such an extent that they could not wait even for the formalities of court-martial proceedings. Had not the government shown such indifference to the treasonable threats of the Caricottis before the home rule bill was passed, the cruelty of its present executions would not be so utterly odious and horrid.

ing in the eyes of the world. But the contrast is too glaring.

Premier Asquith has proved himself a true friend of Ireland in the past. He has held office for five years longer than he would have done but for his determination to see the home rule measure put into effect. Having done so much in the past, it is hoped that he will perform another of his political coups by restoring peace in Ireland. This can be done only as we have pointed out. The opening of a real Irish parliament would pacify Ireland but nothing else can do so at the present time. The home rule act is to take effect automatically at the end of the war but should Mr. Asquith put it into operation at once he would have accomplished more to pacify Ireland than could a large army with a thousand firing squads.

Should Mr. Carson in this emergency still stand out against the opening of the Irish parliament and should the government allow him thus to exercise a veto power over the rights of the nation, then all recruiting would stop and there would spread over the land a disaffection and a spirit of revolt beside which the Sinn Féin uprising would not be a circumstance. It is hoped that Premier Asquith will avert such a calamity by overriding the Ulster narrowness.

## STRIKES ON RAILROADS

The wage controversy that is becoming an annual feature of the railway situation in this country is coming to a head, and though no serious trouble is anticipated the movement affects every trainman in the United States and it may possibly affect the general public. If there is any disorganization or if there is any large increase in wages, it is the public that must ultimately pay, and yet the public has no part in the deliberations.

That there will be a fair settlement is the hope of the country, but there is a growing conviction that there must be no strike that would destroy the prosperity of the country temporarily and bring incalculable loss and suffering. If, by any misunderstanding or lack of unanimity a general strike should be declared, one can easily visualize the miles of idle cars, the perishable foods rotting along the tracks, the stationary trains, the paralyzed industries, the milk and food shortage and all the other evils that would speedily follow. It is no slight responsibility that rests on the railroad managers and employees and it is to be hoped they will live up to the expectations of the great majority.

That a strike will come is unthinkable, and yet neither party to the controversy is satisfied with present arrangements. The railroads say that the unions make annual demands which they are unable to meet, and the men say that they must have their rights, no matter how the roads may meet expenses.

Under the circumstances it would seem that a widespread investigation of the entire situation is desirable, under a board made up of representatives of the railroads, the trainmen, the government and the general public. Some form of federal wage commission might make for a permanent settlement and do away with the yearly bogey of a strike that may cripple the country. It is not strange that the circle of those who argue for government ownership is growing larger, but this will not be adopted while there is a satisfactory way out with justice to all concerned. The railway controversy is one that concerns the entire nation, and it should be approached in the broadest spirit possible.

## IMMIGRATION AFTER WAR

Lowell and the other textile cities of New England are intensely interested in two movements of the time that, while professing to be for the public good, are entirely at variance and totally contradict each other. One is a sequel to the nation-wide move to restrict immigration and the other is a movement for the encouragement of the right kind of immigration and it has been brought about by the present shortage of labor, and the fear of manufacturers that the checking of immigration may hamper industry.

On the one hand we hear fears expressed that after the war there will be a great influx of foreigners and that they will be of an inferior type, and on the other hand we hear fears expressed that the country will suffer from a stoppage of the steady supply of splendid manhood that has come here for half a century and that has kept many of our great industries going.

The present war has been on such a gigantic scale and so many unprecedented factors have entered into it that it is impossible to form a clear estimate of what is to follow. It is highly unlikely that immigration will be on a scale to constitute a danger.

## PILES CURED AT HOME BY NEW ABSORPTION METHOD.

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but if the present shortage keeps up, those who were most vehement in their anti-immigration views will be the most fervent workers for new streams of desirable foreigners.

Dr. Bela Sekely of the National Liberal Immigration League, is of the opinion that for five years after the war immigration will go on increasing in numbers and improving in quality, and that afterwards immigration will gradually decline and become almost negligible as an economic factor. He points to many moves by the belligerent nations to keep their subjects home after the great war, and said that after the preliminary attempts at reorganization, the lot of the workers who remain will be better than it has ever been. He is wholly in sympathy with the present efforts of this government to distribute immigration and says that the great need of the future shall be to bring together the jobless man and the manless job.

## CRUELTY TO ANIMALS

The arrest and conviction of persons found guilty of cruelty to animals serves a good purpose in warning all citizens of their duty towards dumb creatures. It is especially apropos at the commencement of the warm season because it is at this time that most offences of the kind occur. Unfortunately the humane society or the society for the prevention of cruelty to animals do not discover the great majority of cases, but they are justified in appealing to the law whenever flagrant disregard of what we owe to animals crops out. It is not alone in their treatment of cows and horses that many show brutality but in their treatment of the lesser animals. People have been known to shut up their houses for the summer and to go to beaches, leaving their domestic pets to be fed by the neighbors, and many would show greater mercy by taking their dogs to the gas box than by treating them as they do. The lesson of the Ancient Mariner that "the pravelest best who loveth best all things both great and small" ought to be learned by all who own animals, and where it is disregarded, the law should step in.

## ARMED INTERVENTION?

After reviewing the course of Mexican developments since the raid of Villa that called forth the punitive expedition, it is hard to escape the conviction that this country is surely drifting towards armed intervention in Mexico. How else may order be restored? We have tried vainly to co-operate with the nominal power in Mexico; we have treated all responsible leaders with the greatest courtesy and consideration; we have shown our determination to keep our hands off domestic Mexican matters and have shown only a desire to restore order as much for the sake of Mexico as for our own. Yet, we have failed to accomplish anything, and Carranza now demands that we get out of Mexico with our mission unfulfilled. After two weeks of discussion, Oregon and Scott have failed to agree and mean-

time bands of raiders have twice crossed the border, causing death and destruction to Americans. Washington says that the troops will not be withdrawn and apparently Uncle Sam has tackled a man's job and is determined to see it through.

## SEEN AND HEARD

When a woman asks you to guess her age, he like a gentleman.

A secret is usually something that many know and each one thinks he only knows.

Among the stray thoughts that come to everyone is that of the possibility of inheriting a fortune from an unknown relative or friend.

"This, ladies and gentlemen, is the celebrated trick donkey, Dot," said the clown, as the animal was being led into the ring. "After many years of most patient effort I am able to say that I can make him do anything he wants to."

Mr. Benedict—"My daughter is the initiative and my wife is the referendum." Mr. Singleton—"And where do you come in?" Mr. Benedict—"Oh, I'm the recall. They recall my existence whenever the bills come in!" Judge.

## The Commander-in-Chief

It was at an evening party and Dodge asked Keller:

"Who is that impressive-looking woman over there?"

"That's Mrs. Moore," was the reply.

"She's a remarkably strong-minded woman," it is said she commands a large salary."

"Indeed," said Dodge, reflectively, as he looked at the woman with interest. "How does she earn it?"

"She doesn't earn it," said Keller. "Her husband earns it, and she commands it."

## Wouldn't It Be Grand

The poet and his wife were examining the eunuchiform inscription in the museum, according to a member of the Boston Authors' club.

"Oh, dear," sighed the wife, "I wish we could be in the days when literary men used clay tablets instead of writing paper."

"What makes you say that?" asked her husband.

"Why, don't you see, dearie, if all your ejected manuscripts were bricks what an elegant house we could build!"

## Pat Murphy's Version

It had been a very successful mission and on the closing night the priest preached a powerful sermon on "Judgment Day." Next day he was accosted by Pat Murphy. "Father," said he, "that was a fine sermon you gave on judgment day. I was back pretty well in the church and I was afraid I might have missed a bit of it. I want to ask you, father, with the German, French, English, Italians and Russians be there?"

"They will indeed," said the good priest.

"And will the Irish be there, too, father?" queried Pat.

"Of course they will," said the priest, whereupon Pat immediately gave up his opinion that there "wouldn't be much judging on the first day."

"To the fellow who will take my place when I am gone"

Here is a toast that I want to drink to a fellow I'll never know—

To the fellow who's going to take my place when it's time for me to go. I've wondered what kind of a chap he'll be and I've wished I could take his hand.

Just to wish you well, old man, in a way that he'd understand.

I'd like to give the cheering word that I've longed at times to hear. I'd like to give him the warm hand-clasp when never a friend seems near.

I've learned my knowledge by sheer hard work, and I wish I could pass it on.

To the fellow who'll come to take my place some day when I am gone.

Will he see all the sad mistakes I've

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made and note all the battles lost? Will he ever guess of the tears they caused or the heartaches which they cost? Will he gaze through the failures and countless toll to the underlying plan. And catch a glimpse of the real intent and the heart of the vanquished man?

I dare to hope he may pause some day as he looks at I have wrought. And gain some strength from his weary task from the battles which I have fought. But I've only the task itself to leave with the cares for him to face, And never a cheering word may speak to the fellow who'll take my place.

Then here's to your health, old chap; I drink as a bridegroom to his bride; I leave an unfinished task for you, but God knows how I tried. I've dreamed my dreams, as all men do, but never a one came true. And my prayer today is that all the dreams may be realized by you. And we'll meet some day in the great unknown—out in the realm of space.

You'll know my class as I take your hand and gaze in your tired face. Then all failures will be success in the light of the world of which I dare not speak. So I'm drinking your health, old chap, who'll take my place when I am gone.

—Selected.

## AMUSEMENT NOTES

## B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

A supplementary season of extraordinary interest to lovers of the finest of art films will be opened at the B. F. Keith theatre on Monday, and for the first three days of the week Billie Burke, the noted star, will be the attraction. The feature, "The Triangle," a picture which has been conceded to be one of the most perfectly photographed pictures ever put before the public. In addition the "Triangle-Keystone comedy," "Fatty and Mabel Adrift," in which Roscoe Arbuckle and Mabel Normand will appear, and the funny "The Aeroplane," together with shorter pictures, will be offered. For the concluding three days Frank Keenan, said to be America's greatest character actor, will appear in the "Triangle picture," "The Coward," a picture which Mabel Normand will offer. "Life Last Laugh," a picture which is being shown, as will be attested by all who are "in the know." The stage of the theatre will be specially decorated with potted plants during the season, and an orchestra will play for all performances. The prices will be five, ten and 15 cents for both afternoon and evening, with the first balcony 10 cents and the upper theatre 50 cents.

One of the features of the Ince-Triangle play, "Peggy" is its group of scenes in Fairyland, Billie Burke, who is the star of the play, stands out to tell a group of children a fairy tale. She has been tinkering on her automobile and is in overalls. As she sits on the running board, she holds one foot on her knee, with the others perched alongside, or behind her. As heroine of her own fairy story, Miss Burke is shown tripping through the moonlight, in the light of a magic lamp, a bevy of gnomes, with grotesque faces and forms, and then she finds herself in an assemblage of bugs, one of which is a fairy prince. She hears the pathetic tale of the erstwhile prince who is now king of the bugs. Then Peggy flies to a wise old goat and learns the secret of the magic water. She scatters over the bug-king and he becomes the fairy prince once more and gracefully offers his hand and heart to the pretty maiden. The witch, sorely vexed, swells up till she can no more leave her narrow-doored house, a starling from his photograph is that in which Peggy has been the magic water on the bug. "Presto!" stands the prince—a startling transformation.

In "Fatty and Mabel Adrift," Roscoe Arbuckle, a former boy, is in love with his employer's daughter, Mabel Normand. Al St. John is a rival for Mabel's hand, and he is called Fatty. He swears vengeance, too, and when Fatty and Mabel go on their honeymoon their entanglement is engulfed by a tidal wave. They escape, but not until after a series of funny situations. The "Mutt and Jeff" cartoon, in an aeroplane, is also said to be the best of the season. There will be several other pictures shown during the first three days of the week.

Tomorrow afternoon and evening the final Sunday concert of the season will be held, although during the picture season a special array of subjects will be shown. Anna Chandler will be the headliner tomorrow.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

Strolling amid the verdure and rich foliage of Cuba, Clara Kimball Young appears in the first feature production, "The Feast of Life."

The Merrimack Square theatre. She personates the role of a beautiful Cuban maid who is forced into a loveless marriage. The play is enjoyable in every detail, and those who wish to see her in this masterpiece will have to attend one of the performances at this theatre today for this is the last day for her appearance in this play. This is likewise the final day of the appearance of Valentine Grant in the five act photo-play of an Irish girl, "The Innocent Lie." The intensely amusing "Charlie Chaplin comedy," "Shanghai," will also be shown today, as well as the other interesting pictures on the program for the last three days of this week. One of the big numbers on the program of the splendid Sunday concert at this theatre tomorrow afternoon and evening is "The Sorrows of Oppression," a thrilling story featuring the adorable June Daye. The plot of this play is very different from that of any other picture ever shown here and is even more interesting and entertaining than some which have preceded it. A large number of other excellent photographs will be made up this big Sunday concert which continues without intermission until ten o'clock in the evening.

OWL THEATRE

Holbrook Blinn and Vivian Martin will again be seen at the Owl theatre today in the stirring five-act photo-play, "The Butterfly on the Wheel."

Telling a powerful story of society life this film is one which is bound to please. Other excellent attractions will also be presented at the Owl today.

REPORT OF BIRTHS

April 12—To Mr. and Mrs. John E. Fay of 152 Cushing street, a son.

21—To Mr. and Mrs. John Russell of 33 Hadley street, a son.

24—To Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bedard of 3 Ward street, a son.

26—To Mr. and Mrs. Magaras Arabian of 104 Lawrence street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Christy Beaulieu of 133 Crawford st., a son.

27—To Mr. and Mrs. Hector Andropoulos of 63 Prince st., a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Maitle of 338 West Sixth st., a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Ludwig Zeevman of 8 Adams court, a daughter.

28—To Mr. and Mrs. George Roudeau of 81 Foster st., a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Francis Cole of

340 Colonial avenue, a son.  
29—To Mr. and Mrs. George M. Eraley of 85 1-2 White st., a daughter.  
30—To Mr. and Mrs. William C. Gray, of 116 Dingley st., a son.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Landry of 333 West Sixth st., a son.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Edward Drive of 377 Lakeview avenue, a daughter.

May 1—To Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mangin of 62 Staveley st., a son.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wojleeh of 16 Lakeview ave., a son.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morrow of 27 Court st., a daughter.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Elie Bellay of 38 Ludlam st., a daughter.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Charles McHenry of 99 Sawtelle place, a daughter.  
2—To Mr. and Mrs. Christopher C. Nugent, of 141 High st., a daughter.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Azarie Smard of 28 Howard st., a daughter.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Molda of 292 Bridge st., a son.  
3—To Mr. and Mrs. Michael Seales of 310 Moody st., sons (twins).  
To Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Shaw of 34 O'Connell st., a son.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie E. LaPointe of 41 Nichols st., a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. George Welch of 212 Pine st., a daughter.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Michael Mroz of 67 West Third st., a daughter.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Florian Kohanski of 85 William st., a son.  
4—To Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Lazaro-nous of 123 Suffolk st., a son.  
To Mr. and Mrs. William E. Coleman of 22 Branch st., a son.  
To Mr. and Mrs. David Keenan of 3 Backus st., a daughter.  
To Mr. and Mrs. James O'Connell of 3 Watson avenue, a son.  
To Mr. and Mrs. George Gaudette of 9 Woodbury st., daughters (twins).  
To Mr. and Mrs. James Clarke of 38 Nottingham st., a son.  
5—To Mr. and Mrs. Phillips Targen of 25 Chestnut st., sons (twins).  
To Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Parmenter of 25 Paige st., a son.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Keith Miller of 163 Adams st., a daughter.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Hind of 518 Princeton st., a son.  
6—To Mr. and Mrs. George N. Less of Cumberland road, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. John McInerney of 48 Kingman st., a son.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Edward Knight of 61 Agawam st., a son.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Victor Baranowski of 25 Smith st., a daughter.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Albert Deacon of 810 Moody st., a daughter.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Jose Perreira, Jr., of 22 Bradford st., a son.  
7—To Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. O'Donnell of 1360 Middlesex st., a son.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Michele Di Palmo of 457 Gorham st., a son.  
To Mr. and Mrs. John Zirk of 4 South Main st., a daughter.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Landry of 17 Watson avenue, a son.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Kyriakos Poulos of 810 Moody st., a son.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Edward Domonowski of 3 Garnet st., a son.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Travost of 416 Schenck st., a daughter.  
8—To Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Bozdragis of 22 Davidson street, a son.  
9—To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Male of 93 Ford st., a son.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cote of 65 Ford st., a son.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Michael Jastrzab of 115 Exchange st., a son.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Charles McQuillan, of 122 Avon st., a daughter.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Whalen of 9 Church st., a son.  
10—To Mr. and Mrs. Wilfrid Trouville of 34 Rock st., a son.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Edward Duffresne of 4 Virgin st., a son.  
11—To Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Sullivan, of 2 Albion place, a daughter.

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# SUN REAL ESTATE AND BUILDERS' PAGE

## REAL ESTATE OPERATIONS

**Skilled Help is Scarce—All Building Trades Busy—Real Estate Record for Past Week**

Building operations are rushing in this city, although the frost is barely out of the ground, and it is predicted that this summer will be one of the busiest for a long time in this particular line of work. Numerous new buildings have been started in the city during the past few weeks, while many land owners are contemplating erecting dwelling houses. There seems to be a hitch, however, to the construction and that is the lack of skilled help. Most of the craftsmen in the building line are busy and although a higher price is being paid to carpenters and masons than in previous years, good men without employment are scarce.

Francis A. Connor, inspector of public buildings, has made up his mind not to grant any permit for the construction of buildings with bay windows extending over three feet over the sidewalk, and during the past week several permits have been refused on these grounds.

A two-tenement house is being constructed at 461-463 High street for Alice L. McCann. The building will be 26 by 32 feet, two and one-half stories in height and the estimated cost is \$3700.

Phillip Cohen, owner of the property at 336-400 Broadway, is converting the building into a three-story building with a flat roof. Two stories will be

located on the ground floor, while the second story will consist of two tenements, one of eight rooms and another of six rooms. On the third story will be two four room and one six room tenements. The cost of remodeling the building will be about \$5000.

Francis A. Abodeley is making considerable alterations to his property numbered 18-20 Adams street. The building is now three stories in height. The two top stories will be demolished and rebuilt. Two bay windows and piazzas will be added and the cost of the changes will be about \$4500.

Rose Rourke has made plans for the erection of a cottage of eight rooms at 71 Woburn street. The house will be two stories in height, 24 by 31 feet, and will cost about \$2500.

A fireproof garage is being erected by the American Hide & Leather Co. adjacent to its plant in Perry street. The walls of the garage will be of brick and the foundation of concrete. The cost is estimated at \$2300.

Eugene Mercer has made arrangements to build a bakery near his home in West Centralville. The new building will be 57 feet long with an ell 23 feet 6 inches by 10 1/2 feet, and will be erected at 81 Farmland road at a cost of \$2000.

Work has been started on the conversion of a piazza into a sun room with plate glass enclosure at the residence of A. G. Pollard at the corner of Mansur street and Belmont avenue. The cost of the change will be about \$300.

Winslow B. Clark is building a garage with a concrete foundation at 71 Holyrood avenue at a cost of \$450.

The large place occupied formerly by the Theatre Voyer in Central street will soon be converted into a large store. The place is owned by Thomas

M. Hennessy and he estimates the cost of the changes at about \$300.

Dr. Adelard Payette, who owns considerable property in James street has recently purchased a cottage and a large piece of land in the same street and he is now converting the cottage into a three-tenement house, while on the vacant land he will erect a similar building.

Dr. Samuel Patenaude is contemplating the idea of erecting a number of cottages on Litchfield terrace, off Walker street, and he hopes to start on the work within a few weeks.

The store formerly occupied by Elias Rhonopoulos at 10 Cross street, was abandoned a few days ago and the owner of the property has made plans to convert the store into two rooms for the adjoining tenement at a cost of about \$100.

W. J. Dudley has started the construction of a garage at 21 Court street at a cost of \$100.

An addition is being built to the plant of the A. L. Brooks Co. at 599 Dutton street. The addition will consist of one story eight feet in height by 14 feet in width and will cost about \$200.

Eugene A. Fournier is erecting a garage at 66 Acton street at a cost of \$50.

Frederick Butterfield is constructing a piazza seven feet by 18 feet on his building at 201 West Meadow road.

Winnifred Bartlett is building an addition to his building numbered 307 Beacon street.

A double piazza is being constructed at the building numbered 4 Hildreth street and owned by Matthew and Sarah James.

A bathroom and a rear entrance are being added to the building owned by John Leith at 242 Hildreth street.

W. Emond of 227 Walker street is building an addition to his piazza.

Demetrius Barden is having a wagon shed constructed in the rear of 152 Willard street.

A stairway is being placed in the rear of the building owned by J. M. & L. M. Spurr at 370 Westford street.

A piazza will be built on the building at 17 Second street and owned by F. W. Ireland.

### REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

For the Week Ending May 13, 1916

Lowell

Mary Jane Nye est. by admr. d.b.n. to John Mamalis, land and buildings on Market street.

Patrick J. McCarthy est. by admr. et al. to John Mamalis, land and buildings on Market street.

Charles H. McCarthy et al. to John Mamalis, land and buildings on Market street.

Battle E. McKinnon et al. to Mary X. Nichols, land and buildings on Market street.

Edward F. Lamson et al. to Eliza Lamoureux, land and buildings on Moody street.

David Fraser et al. to Victor Hedlund et al., land on Shaw and E streets.

Arthur W. Huguley et al. to Clara Witham, land and buildings on Central street.

Julia A. Richardson et al. to Arthur Lajoie, land on Pleasant and Sladen streets.

Arthur Lajoie et al. to Belmont Realty Co., Providence, R. I., land on Pleasant and Sladen streets.

Julia Patenaude est. by admr. to Catherine Sweeney, land and buildings on corner St. James and Lees streets.

John B. Pailson et al. to Lydia Desjardins, land and buildings on West Sixth street.

Helen H. Batchelder et al. to Clara

once B. Stevens et al., land and buildings on Stevens and South Wilder streets.

Elizabeth F. Ryan to Michael O'Dea, land and buildings corner Lawrence street and Passaic street.

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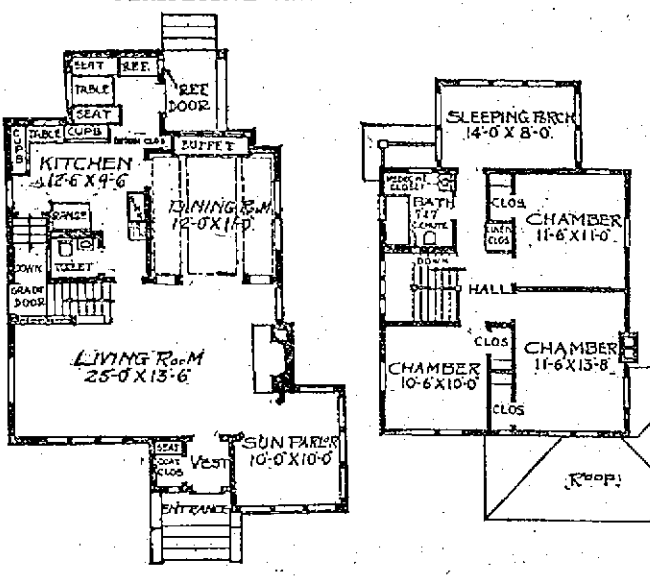
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## NEW STYLE OF STUCCO EXTERIOR



PERSPECTIVE VIEW—FROM A PHOTOGRAPH



FIRST FLOOR PLAN SECOND FLOOR PLAN

The main new features in this plan are the brick water table, the pure white cement exterior, with the dark trimmings, the lattice at the corner for climbing vines and flower box at the front living room window. The sun parlor is connected with the living room by French doors. Toilet under the stairs; built-in cupboards in the kitchen; also nook, where breakfast may be served. In the second story are three chambers, ample closet space, bath, sleeping porch and linen closet. Size, 26 feet wide by 26 feet deep, over the main part, exclusive of all projections. First story, 9 feet; second story, 8 feet; basement, 7 feet in the clear. First story to be finished with oak or maple floors; second story, pine to paint or birch, with birch or maple floors. Cost to build, exclusive of heating and plumbing, about \$1000.

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George C. Hatch et al. to Margaret A. Sarre, land and buildings on Wilder street.

Edward R. Grant et al. to Elmore R. Grant, land and buildings on McKimley avenue.

James H. McDermott to Samuel Kouril, land on Central and Hudson streets.

Richard J. Welch et al. to Katherine P. Martin, land and buildings on Andover street.

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Augustine N. Dooley to William H. Burgess et al., land and buildings corner Middlesex and King streets.

Elia M. Smith to Michael M. Quesaly, land corner Branch street and passage-way.

William B. Moffat to Gustaf Emil Ahlberg, land on Daniels street.

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John E. Richardson et al. to Arthur Lajoie, land on Pleasant and Sladen streets.

Arthur Lajoie et al. to Belmont Realty Co., Providence, R. I., land on Pleasant and Sladen streets.

Simon Morneau et al. to Nicholas P. Parakevopoulos et al., land and buildings on Levee street.

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## TWO PAINTERS KILLED

STAGING COLLAPSED AND SOMERVILLE MEN FELL 40 FEET TO PLATFORM

SOMERVILLE, May 12.—Thomas W. Gaughan and William Lutz, painters, were killed today when a staging collapsed and they fell 40 feet to a platform. They were working at the plant of the North Packing & Provision Co.

## TWO MORE REBELS SHOT

JAMES CONNOLLY AND JOHN McDERMOTT EXECUTED IN LONDON THIS MORNING

DUBLIN, May 12, via London.—James Connolly and John McDermott were shot this morning for complicity in the rebellion.

## BRITISH FLEET SIGHTED

FIFTY-THREE WARSHIPS PASSED IN NORTH SEA BY STEAMER SILJESTAD

BOSTON, May 12.—A British fleet of 53 warships ranging from submarines to superdreadnaughts, was passed in the North Sea by the Norwegian steamer Siljestad, according to statements by her officers when she arrived here.

## ORPET-LAMBERT CASE

MONDAY, MAY 15, DATE SET FOR TRIAL OF YOUNG MAN ACCUSED OF MURDER



MARIAN LAMBERT WILL ORPET

Monday, May 15, was the date set on April 10 for the beginning of the trial at Waukegan, Ill., of Will H. Orpet, the University of Wisconsin student charged with the murder by poison of Marian Lambert last winter. The chief defense to be made by Orpet's counsel is that Miss Lambert killed herself and was an accomplice in the crime.

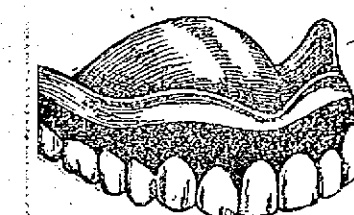
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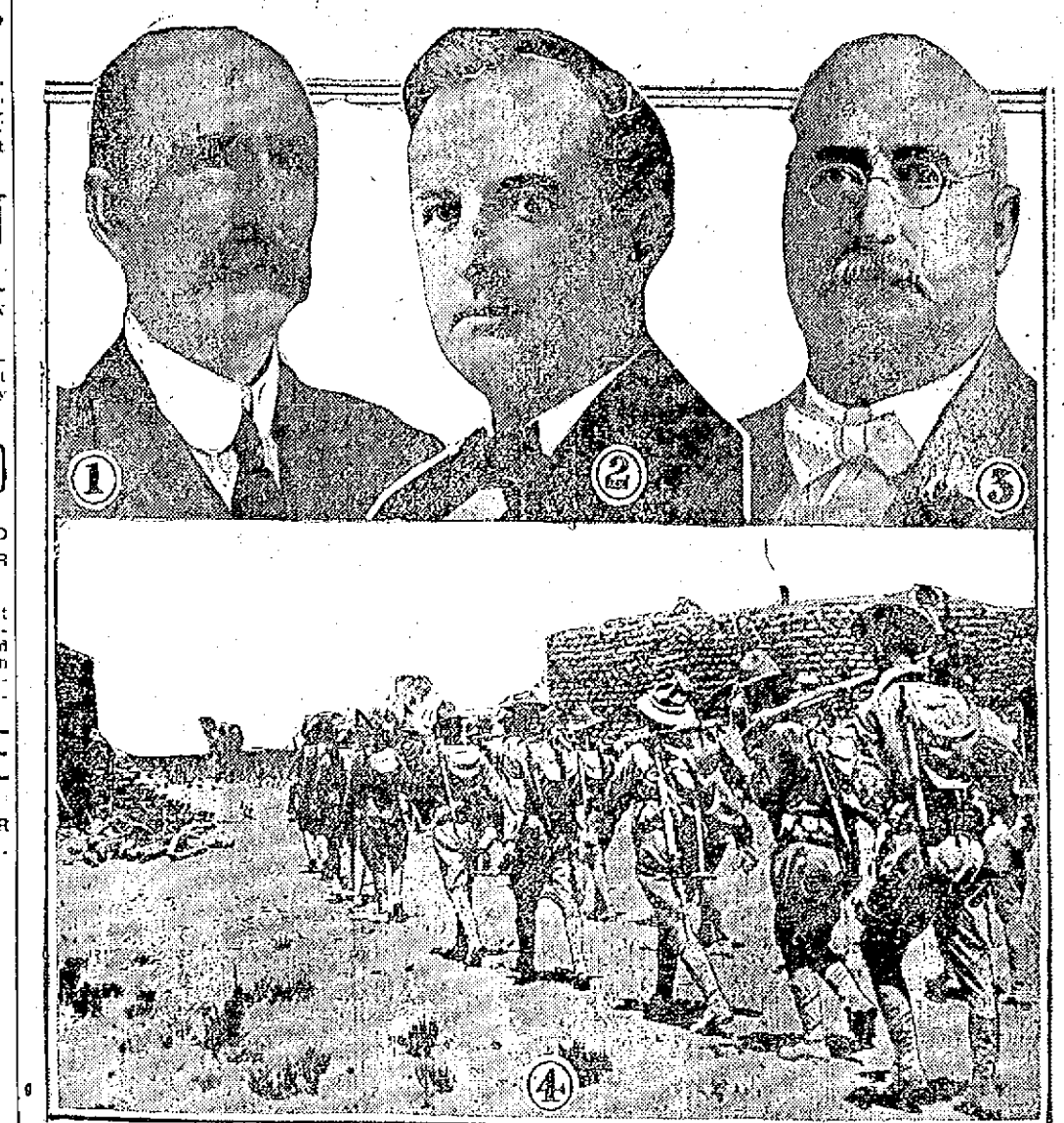
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## GOVERNOR FERGUSON OF TEXAS ADVOCATES COMPLETE INTERVENTION IN MEXICO



Feeling deeply the perils to which they are subjected from raids across the border, many of the residents of Texas, New Mexico and Arizona are clamorous for American intervention in Mexico. Especially is this sentiment finding expression since the federal government called out the militia of these three border states. Among the most prominent of the interventionists is Governor James E. Ferguson of Texas, who issued a statement in which he asserted that now was the proper time for intervention in Mexico to restore order in that country "if it takes ten or fifty years." His statement says in part: "Since we have started we may as well finish the job. A temporary protection of the border will accomplish nothing. If we catch and punish one bandit another takes his place tomorrow. If a ruler is put in power today he is betrayed tomorrow. Loyalty to any leader is lacking and patriotism is unknown. The ruthless spilling of American blood on American soil now gives us justification, and it is now our duty to do whatever is necessary permanently to prevent a recurrence of further outrages against our people." No. 1 in the cut is Governor William C. McDonald of Arizona; No. 2, Governor Ferguson; No. 3, Governor George W. P. Hunt of New Mexico; No. 4, American soldiers on the march in Mexico.

lived here from Copenhagen today. Their anxiety to get their vessel clear of the fighting ships, they said, prevented any close study of the fleet, which cruised about during two days of the Siljestad's voyage in North Sea waters. One of the steamer's officers said it was probably the British grand fleet on patrol.

INDICTMENTS STAND  
NEW YORK, May 12.—Decision was reserved by Judge Wolfenden of Oregon, sitting in the federal district court here today, on the motions made

## Stock Market Closing Prices May 12

FOR COMPLETE REPORT OF TODAY'S CLOSING PRICES SEE LATER EDITION

NEW YORK MARKET			
Stocks	High	Low	Close
Allis Chalmers	28 1/2	27 1/2	28 1/4
Am Beet Sugar	73 1/2	72 1/2	73
Am Can	57 1/2	56	57
Am Can pld	109 1/2	109 1/4	109 1/2
Am Car & Fm	61	60	60 1/4
Am Oil	53 1/2	52 1/2	53 1/4
Am Hide & L	51	50	51
Am Lucerne	71 1/2	69 1/2	70
Am Smelt & C	95 1/2	94 1/2	95 1/4
Am Sugar Rfn	112 1/2	112	112 1/4
Atacora	84 1/2	84	84 1/4
Atacora pld	103 1/2	103 1/4	103 1/2
Atacora pld	101	101	101
Baldwin Loco	20 1/2	20 1/4	20 1/2
Balt & Ohio	87 1/2	87	87 1/4
Balt & Ohio pld	75 1/2	75	75 1/4
Beth Steel	41 1/2	41 1/4	41 1/2
Cal Rep Tran	86 1/2	86	86 1/4
Cal Rep	23 1/2	23 1/4	23 1/2
Cast Iron Pipe	17 1/2	17 1/4	17 1/2
Cent Leather	54	53	54
Ches & Ohio	62 1/2	61 1/2	62 1/4
Chl & Gt W Com	13 1/2	13 1/4	13 1/2
Chl & Gt W pld	17 1/2	17 1/4	17 1/2
Chl R & P	21	20 1/2	21
Chl R & P pld	21 1/2	21 1/4	21 1/2
Consol Fuel	41 1/2	41 1/4	41 1/2
Consol Gas ex div	132 1/2	132	132 1/4
Corn Prods	87 1/2	87	87 1/4
Crescent Steel	33 1/2	33	33 1/4
Dis Secur Co	33 1/2	33	33 1/4
Erle	37 1/2	36 1/2	37 1/4
Erle pld	37 1/2	36 1/2	37 1/4
Gen Elec	167 1/2	165 1/2	167 1/4
Gen Motors	45 1/2	45	45 1/4
Goodrich	72 1/2	72	72 1/4
Gt North pf	120 1/2	120	120 1/4
Gt N Ore cld	101 1/2	101	101 1/4
Illinoi Cen	101 1/2	101	101 1/4
Int Met Com	17 1/2	17 1/4	17 1/2
Int Met Com pld	75	75	75
Int Mer Marine	25 1/2	25 1/4	25 1/2
Int Mer Marine pf	94	93 1/2	94
Int Paper pf	47	47	47
Ikan City	20 1/2	20	20 1/4
Louis & Nash	127 1/2	127 1/4	127 1/2
Maxwell	58 1/2	58	58 1/4
Maxwell 1st	58 1/2	58	58 1/4
Maxwell 2nd	58 1/2	58	58 1/4
Mex Petroleum	105 1/2	105	105 1/4
Missouri Pa	7	6 1/2	7
Nat Lead	64 1/2	64	64 1/4
N Y Air Brake	135	134	135
N Y Central	104 1/2	104 1/4	104 1/2
Nor & West	124 1/2	124	124 1/4
Nor Am Co	49 1/2	49	49 1/4
North Pacific	112 1/2	112	112 1/4
Ont & West	27 1/2	27	27 1/4
Pennsylvania	56 1/2	56	56 1/4
Pitts Coal	27 1/2	27	27 1/4
Pressed Steel	42 1/2	42	42 1/4
Rep Iron Co	43 1/2	43	43 1/4
Reading	88 1/2	88	88 1/4
Rep Sp & S	46 1/2	46	46 1/4
St Paul	94 1/2	94	94 1/4
Sloss-Sheffield	56 1/2	56	56 1/4
So Pacific	96 1/2	96	96 1/4
Southern Ry	22 1/2	22	22 1/4
Southern Ry pf	62 1/2	62	62 1/4
Studebaker	135 1/2	135	135 1/4
Team Copper	11 1/2	11	11 1/4
Union Pacific	135 1/2	135	135 1/4
Union Pac pf	82 1/2	82	82 1/4
U S Ind Alcohol	151 1/2	151	151 1/4
U S Rub	54 1/2	54	54 1/4
U S Steel	83 1/2	83	83 1/4
U S Steel pf	116 1/2	116	116 1/4
U S Steel 5s	105 1/2	105	105 1/4
U S Steel 6s	80 1/2	80	80 1/4
U S Steel 7s	42 1/2	42	42 1/4
Westinghouse	62 1/2	62	62 1/4
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NEW YORK, May 12.—Cotton futures opened barely steady. May, 13 1/2; July, 12 1/2; October, 13 1/4; December, 13 1/4; January, 13 1/4. Futures closed steady. May, 12 1/2; July, 12 1/2; October, 13 1/4; December, 13 1/4; January, 13 1/4. Spot, quiet; middling, 13.05.

BOSTON, May 12.—Although industrial shares were active, copper was neglected during the early trading in the local market today. Mohawk fell off two points before noon, while Alaska gold was up 1-8.

EXCHANGES  
NEW YORK, May 12.—Exchanges \$14,525,124; balances \$21,180,856.

PRESIDENT ON TRIP  
WASHINGTON, May 12.—President Wilson left this afternoon for a week-end trip down the Potomac river on the yacht Mayflower. He expected to return to the capital late Sunday night or early Monday morning.

Miss Mary Minner, of New York City, has purchased war blouse, which in the event of war in this country, she will use as a dispatch bearer.

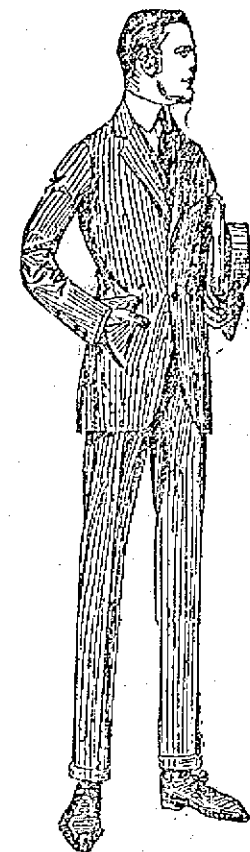
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From Yesterday's Late Edition

## THE BLINDING DUST

STOREKEEPER CAN SEE FORTUNE FOR INVENTOR OF GOOD DUST LAYER

"The fellow who will invent some kind of a dust laying substance other than the oil or tar variety," said a store man today, "will surely make a fortune, for the good people of Lowell are sick and tired of eating a peck of dust a day. The block paved streets are all right so far as wear is concerned but when the wind blows up the dust and powdered cement it is more than the ordinary mortal can bear. The car sprays do some good, but in order for them to do any considerable amount of good they would have to make the rounds every half hour. Charlie Morse boasted at a recent meeting of the municipal council of using only three horse-drawn watering carts at the present time as against fourteen when he took hold of the department. I think it would be a good idea for him to get out the fourteen carts and see if he can't do something to relieve present conditions. It seems to me the streets have never been as dusty as within the last two or three years. We hear a whole lot about what the street commissioner is going to do along the line of street sweeping and washing, but all these promises seem to be nothing more nor less than day dreams."

Big Class of Applicants

Messrs. Lathrop and Bowman of the Massachusetts highway commission examined a class of 5 applicants for chauffeurs' licenses at city hall this forenoon. It was one of the largest classes on record and many of the applicants were from out of town. These examinations are held every Friday and always under the auspices of the state highway commission.

More Building Permits

Thomas F. Hennessey has been granted a permit for the changing over of the Yvonne theatre in Central street to a store, removing the theatre front and putting in a store front.

Eugene Mercier has been granted a permit for the erection of a bakery, a wooden building 27 by 57 feet, one story, at St. Paul street.

Another permit issued today has to do with extensive alterations and additions at 326-400 Broadway. The estimated cost of the additions and alterations is \$5000.

Winslow B. Clark is building a garage at 74 Holbrook avenue and Della L. Norton has taken out a permit for

a garage in Walte street, corner of Powell.

## PLANS FOR HEALTH WEEK

NEXT WEEK WILL BE OBSERVED AS SUCH—THE PROGRAM FOR ANTI-TUBERCULOSIS WORK

Next week will be health week in Lowell and accordingly various exhibits and illustrated lectures will be held in various places of the city, the affair to be held under the auspices of the Lowell Anti-Tuberculosis council with the co-operation of the state board of health and various local organizations. The exhibits will be held in a vacant store at the corner of John and Merrimack streets, at the J. L. Chalfoux Co.'s store, and Middlesex hall, while the local theatres will run through several films of moving pictures dealing with health problems.

The interested parties in the health week, which comprised representatives of the Lowell anti-tuberculosis council, Lowell guild, Metropolitan Insurance Co., Middlesex Women's club as well as Dr. Charles E. Simpson of the state board of health and Harold Chalfoux of the J. L. Chalfoux Co., met at the rooms of the board of trade this afternoon for the purpose of discussing the possibilities of holding a health week in this city and also to make arrangements for the event. The meeting was presided over by Rev. James Bancroft, chairman of the Lowell anti-tuberculosis council.

After considerable discussion it was decided to hold the event for the benefit of Lowell residents and the affair will be conducted on a large scale. The vacant store at the corner of John and Merrimack streets will be converted into a health exhibit consisting of tuberculosis exhibits and also a large exhibit prepared by the Metropolitan Insurance Co. One of the floors of the large Chalfoux store will be fitted up as a hospital room while an open air school exhibit will be given. A boys' department including the Boy Scouts and their work will be arranged in Middlesex hall. The Y.M.C.A. and Y.W.C.A. will also be asked to take part in the exhibit as they have done in other cities.

In the various places where the exhibits will be held there will be illustrated lectures on health and how to prevent disease, the names of the speakers to be announced later. With the exception of Middlesex hall, the other places will open Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock and the exhibits will be carried on from 11 a. m. to 10 p. m. Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

At Middlesex hall an exhibit will open Thursday and will continue for the remainder of the week from 11 a. m. to 10 p. m.

Rev. Mr. Bancroft, chairman of the committee in charge of the exhibit, in conversation with a Sun reporter today said that all the moving picture houses of the city will be asked to run special health films through at all their performances throughout the week. The films will be supplied by the committee in charge of the exhibit and it is believed will be productive of much good to the community.

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## REVOLUTION IN LISBON

REPORTED THAT TROOPS HAVE MUTINIED AND THAT ARSENALS HAVE BEEN BURNED

BERLIN, May 12. (By wireless to Sayville.)—A despatch from Granada, Spain, says that a revolution has broken out in Lisbon. It is reported that troops have mutinied and that the arsenals have been burned.

CIVIL SUIT ON TRIAL

The case of A. P. Sackley vs. George Husson, an action of contract by which the plaintiff seeks to recover on a promissory note amounting to \$100, was started before Judge Enright at this afternoon's session of the police court. The plaintiff claims that on Nov. 1, 1915, Michael A. Ansara made a promissory note of \$100 payable to the plaintiff, and that the note was endorsed by George Husson. He also claims that the note was not paid by Ansara or Husson, when it was due. The ad damnum is \$200. Bennett Silverblatt for the plaintiff and William A. Hogan for the defendant.

STRIKE AT NEW BEDFORD

NEW BEDFORD, May 12.—Practically all the freight handlers employed here at the New York boat docks struck today for increased wages. Spokesmen for the strikers said that the men wanted an increase from 21 cents to 25 cents an hour and that about one hundred men were affected.

DIED OF SELF INFLICTED WOUND

NEW BEDFORD, May 12.—Peter Smirnov, who confessed that he shot and killed Mrs. Diana Geoffroy of Fall River in the Stag hotel here on the night of April 1, died at St. Luke's hospital this afternoon as a result of a self-inflicted wound which he received shortly after the death of the woman.

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## THEY DO SAY

The Lyle calls it the curiosity shop. That the outing season will soon be on. That Jimmie was on the short list again. That the "end seat hog" is with us again. That Mayor O'Donnell is his own chauffeur. That Pete declined an invitation to the wine party. That Connie Cronin is still on the job at city hall. That the amateur farmers in Lowell are numerous. That the good old summer time is right at our door. That big trucks are becoming very popular in Lowell. That the battle wages war in Martin Conley's job. That the vacation days are drawing near. How's the wallet? That economy has nothing to do with the brevity of dress. That Newell says Charlie's next water bill will be a corker. That honest men suffer for the dishonest in all walks of life. That the deer seem to take kindly to their new home at Fort Hill. That Lowell was well represented at the opening game in Boston. That it isn't always fair weather when two avens come together. That Owen says these are good evenings for a walk and a talk. That no quarter should be shown the loafer in Lowell these days. That the scene from the tenth story is most picturesque these days. That the fans all seem to think Lowell has a good baseball team. That asking a bartender to drink is like taking apples to an orchard. That men who will throw stones at a squirrel ought to be locked up. That one member of the school committee would rather fish than eat. That the builders of the Chelmsford street bridge are getting a move on. That the average man can be as useful as he wants to make himself. That the downright horse lover hasn't much use for the automobile. That some of the local millionaires would like to get a peep into Mexico. That the fellow who burns coal next winter will have to get an increase in pay. That at least one of our aldermen is to be pitted for the advice he takes. That the rowdies seem to have the upper hand of the cops in some districts. That only the witnesses in the case attended the Pinder hearing on Wednesday. That the average fellow we meet is just as happy as if he were in his right mind. That "youth must have its fling" is truer today than ever and the "fling" seems greater. That Commissioner Putnam wants to be shown where that 500,000 gallons of water is going. That the fellow who says the hardest thing in the world to overcome is an appetite for snuff would. That the "Man in the Moon" is soon to go up into New Hampshire on another flying trip. That certain ones are looking for new names to appear on the water department payroll. That there are good men in all parties. Even the republican party can boast of a few. That the president and secretary of the Lowell Fish and Game association are real live wires. That the Lowell Driving club is preparing an elaborate schedule for the summer months. That the pledged delegates are going to wait till the New Year before making new pledges. That Edmond now allows the other fellow can "trim" him at pool, of course there is a reason. That when it comes to a show down the fellow who does his own thinking is the fellow worth while. That the "traffic officer" at Merrimack square last Sunday did not remain on the job very long. That however willing that heart may be to bespeak a job for a friend it is not always a pleasant duty. That the average tax rate of the no-license cities of Massachusetts is lower than that of the license cities. That old man Job had nothing on City Messenger Owen Monahan; neither for patience, nor for bolts. That Traffic Officer Sheridan is the man of the hour at the junction of Central and Merrimack streets. That Clement is sampling a new brand of cigars and he is passing them around to his friends, too. That Middlesex street, which has been an eyecore for a long time, will soon become the pride of Lowell. That the hardest fellow in the world to understand is the fellow who doesn't want himself understood. That George Enright has been reading the Quarter of a century column and is going to raise pigs himself. That the Depot Cash Market must move and that good bargains for campers are offered at their sale. That the parishioners of St. Louis' church are endeavoring to pay for their new church before it is built. That the man who is sure of some knowledge is never ashamed to admit that there are things he doesn't know. That a well-known young lady lost her headpiece when she was crossing the Aiken street bridge last Thursday. That if Charles Stienken can suggest some way of laying the dust he will prove himself a public benefactor. That there is some question as to the right of the city government to grant public stands for unlicensed jitneys. That everybody is wondering if Charlie Morse can do a little something towards laying the dust in the streets. That the contrast in activity between the waterways commission and

that the mother country, Denmark, maintained its position during the numerous European wars of the eighteenth century. The temporary occupation of the island by the British during several periods of the Napoleonic wars added further to the importance of the chief port, Charlotte Amalie, where merchants and sailors from all over the world waited for the arrival of the Danish ships. This town, with a population of less than 10,000, mainly negroes, is still an important trading station for steamers in the West Indian trade. With a depth of from 27 to 36 feet of water, the roadstead can accommodate the largest merchant ships which sail these seas. The export and import trade has become negligible since the rapid decline of the sugar industry which the Danish government has tried in vain to revive by granting annual subsidies. "St. John, least important of the islands, lying four miles to the east of St. Thomas, has an area of 21 sq. miles. It is scarcely more than a 10-mile mountain ridge with but one district, the capital, Charlotte Amalie, the best harbor of refuge in the Antilles. Cruxby, a village of one thousand inhabitants on the northern shore, is the center of population. "While Danish is the official language of the islands, English is quite generally spoken. The most serious danger is not infrequently broken by earthquakes and hurricanes. "If Denmark decides to part with these islands there will remain to her only two colonial possessions—Greenland and Iceland, which have an aggregate area more than five times as large as the mother country, but with only one-twenty-seventh the population. The 138 square miles of Denmark's West Indian territory sustain nearly three times as many people as the 46,740 square miles of Greenland."

## SAVED A BOY'S LIFE

LITTLE CHILD SAVED FROM DROWNING IN A CANAL AT HALL STREET

But for the quick arrival and presence of mind of Theophilus Courtois of 177 Hall street, and employed as a clerk at his father's store at 175 Hall street, another drowning would have been recorded this morning. For Courtois saved from a watery grave a little boy, 3 years and 3 months old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert L'Abbe of 6 Regina place. Shortly before 10 o'clock this forenoon the L'Abbe boy with his brother, Edouard, six years old, and a cousin, Arsene, five years old, were playing on the banks of the canal in Cheever street between Aiken street and Pawtucket street. The boys were seated on the edge of the canal and were playing in the water with their feet. Rene, who is not as tall as the other boys, was attempting to lower himself to the water edge and fell in. The boys shrieked for help and at this time Mr. Courtois was going through Cheever street with a basket of groceries. After hearing the cries for help, he halted for a moment and without hesitating a moment threw himself into the water and succeeded in catching the little fellow, who was sinking for the third time. The boy, who was in a semi-conscious condition, was carried to the home of his parents by Mr. Courtois and now he is none the worse for his cold bath. Mr. Courtois was warmly congratulated for his act of bravery by the many who witnessed his heroic feat.

## MARRIAGE INTENTIONS

Edward D. Hickey, 38, baggage master, 194 St. Hope street, and Anna Della Plouffe, 22, operative, Colches, N. Y. Joseph M. Shaughnessy, 25, piano polisher, 26 Tyler street, and Margaret P. Vincent, 28, cashier and bookkeeper, 272 Geneva avenue. Alfred P. Masse (widowed), 58, barber, 36 St. Vernon street, and Mary A. Barker (widowed), 53, at home, 26 Shedd street. David Welner, 23, machinist, 142

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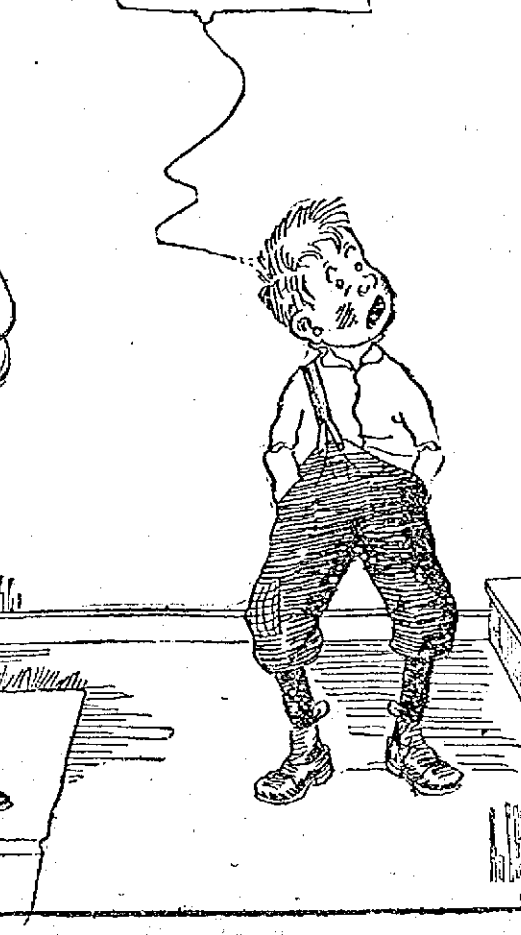
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## FOR SALE

ICE CHIST for meat market, for sale, 10 ft. high, 8 ft. wide. Call 131 Howard st. L. Steinberg. MOTORCYCLE for sale: Pope Big Bear, 1912 model; single; first class condition; \$75. Write G71 Sun Office. DRUG STORE for sale: complete stock; soda fountain fixtures at a bargain; reason going out of town; other business. Inquire 125 Moody street or 30 Dutton street. W. L. L'Esperance. RETAIL BUSINESS, well established. Ford delivery truck, good chance for smart active man. Price reasonable for cash. For particulars call 191-1.

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## HELP WANTED

DRUG CLERK wanted at once, with 1 or 2 years experience. Apply J. P. L'Esperance, 241 Cochran st. GIRLS wanted to dress lace and button shoes. Apply Stover & Bean Co., Head bldg. YOUNG GIRL wanted to assist in light housework; family of two. Write 243 Sun Office. LADIES wanted immediately to copy mailing lists, etc., home evenings. No experience. No canvassing. Five dollars per 1000 paid. Enclose stamp. Universal Record, Toronto, Ont. WOMEN wanted, full time salary \$15, selling guaranteed hosiery to wearers, 236 an hour spare time; permanent experience unnecessary. Wear-proof Hosiery, Scrabbleton, Pa. SEVERAL LADIES to travel, demonstrate our goods and sell dealers \$20 to \$40 weekly; we pay railroad fares. Experience unnecessary. Hosiery Co., Dept. 32, Minneapolis, Minn. PERSONS wanted to color art pictures at home; easy work, no experience; good pay; sample free. Wheeler Co., 337 Madison, Chicago. 100 WOMEN MAKING business plans and running errands. Address: Business Builder, 2902 Indiana ave., Chicago, Ill. EARN GOOD MONEY writing names and addresses. Spare time. No canvassing. Particulars for stamp G. C. Smith, Little Rock, Ark. LIVE AGENTS wanted for high grade, reliable, easily carried, easily demonstrated. Big profits. Descriptive booklet free. Write Clinton Mfg. Co., 60 Clinton st., Bristol, Conn. CHAUFFEUR wanted to drive truck, state wages required and experience. Address G72 Sun Office. MEN, WOMEN WANTED—Government jobs, \$15 to \$150 month. Write immediately for list positions now obtainable. Franklin Institute, Dept. 157 O, Rochester, N. Y. SALESMAN of experience wanted for clothing store, one who speaks French and English, good salary. Apply 214 Merrimack street. MAN wanted on extractors. Apply to 599 Dutton street. 2 TAP CUTTERS wanted (male) on "Gearless" sole cutting machine in shoe factory. Apply Federal Shoe Co., Dix street. CHAUFFEUR wanted to drive truck, state age, experience. Address G72 Sun Office. DISH WASHER wanted. Fox's Lunch, 19 Bridge street. MEAT CUTTER wanted at once; must be first class. Apply Fairbairn's Market, 54 Concord street. YOUNG MEN—Live neat appearing young men wanted at once. Apply Wood Bros., Mfgs., 35 Walnut street. RING SPINNERS (\$10-\$15) and Doers in Spinning Room (\$10) wanted for cotton mill out of town. Fare paid, room and board. Service Bureau, 468 Middlesex street. WEAVING wanted; Brussels, Wilton and axminster weavers, 20 xminster setters (females) and 10 cloth weavers for army cloth. Out of town transportation paid. Inquire 53 New Smith st. MEN wanted to sell land, with or without experience. Warren Land Co., 40 Branch st.

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## KEY TO FIRE ALARM BOXES

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## WANTED

HOUSE WANTED—I would like to buy a fine, healthy, vicinity of the Polish church, High street. Send all communications and lowest price in writing to G24 Sun Office. DYE GRINDERS and polishers wanted to attend upon meeting at 8 o'clock, 43 Middle street. CHILDREN wanted to board in private family in the country. Lawrence car to Kenwood station. Mrs. Dery, Brown's field. HAT BEACHERY—Ladies and Gentlemen's straw and Panama hats cleaned or dyed and rebuffed into the latest styles. E. H. Severy, Inc., 123 Middle st. SUMMER RESORTS OLD ORCHARD BEACH Cottages, studio, hotels, lunch room, restaurant, ice cream parlor, barber shop, theatre, dance hall, gambling house and many other amusements. W. M. Davis, Old Orchard, Me. LOST AND FOUND BRACELET lost on Pawtucket st. last Thursday. Kindly return to Frank Ricard's Jewelry Store, 636-535 Merrimack st. and receive reward. PAY ENVELOPE lost Saturday noon elkhorn station. Reward for return to Chelmsford st. car. Reward for information. Tel. 4503-V. BROWN POCKETBOOK lost Friday morning, May 12, between Watpita st. and Bay State mills, containing large sum of money, change and two keys. Reward at 45 Whipple st. LADY'S GOLD WATCH lost Thursday night, either at Normal school or on Waugh street. Reward if returned to 33 Blossom street. BUNCH OF KEYS lost Sunday, between Adams st. and 535 Cambridge st. Reward for return to 535 Cambridge st. MONEY TO LOAN National Loan Co. Will Advance You Money \$5 to \$100 AT LEGAL RATES AND EASIEST TERMS Remember the Place 21 and 23 HOWE BLDG. MERRIMACK SQUARE Look for "Blue and White Signs" License No. 91. PROF. EHRLICH'S "606" SALVARSAN Administered in the veins at Dr. Temple's Lowell office, NO. 1055 OF THE: From business, NO PAIN, no malaria, no fever, no chills, and various forms of skin disease arising from blood poison. To relieve the problem of the centuries and rid the world of the WORST SCOURGE that the human race has known, RESULTS IMMEDIATE. Cures all venereal diseases, also treats cancer, tumors, all acute and chronic blood and nervous diseases of men and women, syphilis, gonorrhea, all venereal diseases, piles, fistula, leprosy, ulcers and rectal diseases. WITHOUT THE USE OF THE KNIFE. Diseases of the eye, ear, nose, throat, skin, stomach, kidneys, bladder, bowels and rectum, epilepsy, and all nervous diseases. Terms always made to suit the convenience of anyone applying for treatment and very reasonable charges. Do not treat elsewhere until you have investigated methods and terms. Lowell office, 97 Central Street. Hours: Wednesday, 2 to 4, 7 to 8. Sundays, 10 to 12. Consultation, FREE.

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6-ROOM FLAT to let; all modern conveniences. Apply E. Brickett, 63 Dover st. FURNISHED ROOMS to let, 15 Rockdale ave., near Fletcher st. ROOMS to let, furnished at 1 Favor st., near Summer st. Tel. 1510-3. TENEMENT on Pleasant street of seven rooms, steam heated, will be vacated May 15. Apply 298 Pleasant street, city. PLEASANT ST.—Tenement of seven rooms, steam heated, will be vacated May 15. Apply 298 Pleasant st., city. FLAT to let, 3 rooms and den, large shed, attic, cellar and garden. 20 Courtland street, Pawtucketville. 3 ROOM TENEMENT to let, with all modern conveniences. Call 55 Dover street. E. Brickett. ROOMS to let, newly furnished. 133 Crook st. TENEMENT to let, 3 rooms; 131 Cushing st. Inquire 71 Chapel st. HARRINGTON BUILDING, 32 Central st., to let, one large front room on the third floor suitable for an office or light housekeeping; rent reasonable. Apply to Building Manager, 401 Sun Bldg. OFFICES—Whole of third floor in The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank building, to let; formerly occupied by John A. Stevens, Engineer. OFFICE—Large office, 31 by 14 feet on the second floor of the Harrington building, 32 Central st., good light and ventilation, for rent. Will be partitioned off to suit a desirable tenant and will be rented at a very low and reasonable rent. Apply to Building Manager, 401 Sun Bldg. STORAGE FOR FURNITURE Separate room \$1 per month for regular 2 two-horse load, pianos etc. The drier and cleaner place for storage in Lowell. Tel. connection. U. F. Prentiss, 356 Bridge st.

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## PREPAREDNESS PARADE

### 145,000 Men and Women, With 200 Bands, in Big Demonstration in New York

NEW YORK, May 13.—New York's belief that the nation should prepare for war was expressed today by nearly 145,000 men and women marching in one of the greatest processions ever assembled for the promotion of an idea.

Twenty abreast, filling the streets from curb to curb, keeping in step to the patriotic tunes of 200 bands, the parade that began this morning will last for twelve hours or longer.

Many business houses were closed while the city gave itself up to its celebration of "preparedness day." The sidewalks from the Battery to 59th street, the start and finish of the parade, were crowded and the sidewalks were at least one million persons saw the demonstration.

Twenty thousand women were in the parade. Workers in 200 occupations, lawyers and other professional men, city officials and city employees and 10,000 members of the National Guard in uniform and thousands of veterans of the Spanish war composed the long column.

The marchers were led by twenty justices of the supreme court. The marchers were divided into sixty-four divisions. The hour set for the start was 9:30 a. m., and it was expected that the last division would not reach the disbanding point until 10:30 o'clock tonight.

Demands for a place in the parade so greatly exceeded the time and space that the promoters were compelled to reject 60,000 applications. Beginning at the Battery, at the southern tip of Manhattan island, the divisions fell in line at intervals all the way up lower Broadway. Center and Lafayette streets and Fifth avenue nearly to the reviewing stand erected in Madison square.

There, from a stand containing thousands of spectators, Major Gen. Wood, Rear Admiral Nathan Bushner, commander of the New York navy yard, and Mayor Mitchell reviewed the parade. Nearly every trade and profession was represented.

Anti-preparedness bodies endeavored to offset the preparedness spirit by circulation among the spectators of circulars. Across Fifth avenue from the reviewing stand the Woman's Peace party hung out a banner with the inscription:

"There are only 100,000 of you. You are not the only patriots. Two million families, five hundred thousand men workers and organized labor of America are opposed to what you and Wall street are marching for. Are you sure you are right?"

ARRESTED IN LOWELL  
BERNARD J. WALSH HELD IN \$1000 AT MANCHESTER ON CHARGE OF BREAKING AND ENTERING

MANCHESTER, N. H., May 13.—Bernard J. Walsh, who was arrested in Lowell, Mass., Thursday for the local police, was arraigned in the municipal court here yesterday, charged with breaking and entering the house of Hector J. LaBonte, 246 Granite street. He is said to have taken goods worth \$65.

Walsh pleaded guilty and was held in \$1000 for the September grand jury. Being unable to procure bail he was lodged in jail.

KENWOOD SUNDAY SCHOOL

Rev. Fr. Bedard of St. Louis' parish will hold a Sunday school session at the house of Mr. Rivet in Kenwood at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon for the Catholic children in that district.

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NEXT SATURDAY, MAY 20, AT 3 O'CLOCK

Single house, double house and about 2740 square feet of land at No. 27 Fourth street and 55 and 53 Read street. The house fronting Fourth street consists of five rooms, bath, pantry, set tubs and steam heat, lighted throughout by gas and in very good condition; occupied by a good tenant, and rents for \$144 a year. The double house, fronting on Read street, has six rooms, bath, pantry, set tubs, lighted throughout by gas with each flat. The house is in very good condition, is occupied by good tenants and rents for \$144 each a year, making a total yearly rental of \$132. Now, then, the fact of this property being located on the corner is certainly a great advantage. It is convenient to the schools, churches, fire department and within a minutes walk of Merrimack Square and many large industries within. Now, Mr. Homeowner, here is your opportunity to make a safe and sound investment, where you can occupy one tenement and have the rental of the other two. Remember, the sale will be absolute, on the premises, rain or shine.

Deposit of \$400 as soon as struck off. A good, liberal mortgage can remain at 5 per cent. The above property belongs to a Boston man and he has left me in full charge.

C. F. KEYES.

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## GRAND OLD MAN

### Deacon Langley's Birthday Celebrated at Annual Roll Call

In connection with its roll call of members the First Universalist church, last night, celebrated the 85th birthday anniversary of Deacon Clark M. Langley. The church and Deacon Langley have lived the same number of years and to celebrate his birthday at the annual roll call was decidedly appropriate.

Rev. C. E. Fisher, D.D., called the roll of members and when Deacon Langley's name was called he responded with reminiscences of his membership with the church here and formerly in Nashua. The members who have known him so intimately through his faithful church membership for many years, cheered him heartily, and Dr. Fisher made kindly and appreciative reference to him in his remarks.

Dr. Fisher announced the membership of the church as follows: Number belonging, May 13, 1915, 256; dismissed by letter, 2; lost by death, 3; Number joined, June, 1915, 3; April, 1916, 13, number belonging May 12, 1916, 265.

The calling of the roll was interspersed with music by Mrs. F. L. Robinson, Mrs. Winnifred Flagg Symonds, Harry Nedham, and three McLean boys, Gilbert and Norman singing, while Edwin accompanied with the violin. Mrs. Helen Hamilton Taylor played the piano accompaniments.

Refreshments were served by a committee of ladies of which Miss Eva Goulding was chairman. The table centerpiece was a large bouquet of pink, which was given to Deacon Langley in honor of his birthday.

AT KENWOOD SCHOOL

PARENT-TEACHERS ASSOCIATION

FIELD ENTERTAINMENT AT THE SCHOOL

Thursday evening of this week was enjoyed by the Parent-Teacher association of the Kenwood school in the form of a Children's night, when all the school children were entertained by the association. Ice cream and cake were served by the committee, which consisted of Mrs. Cheney, Mrs. Curry and Mrs. Corbett. The following entertainment was much enjoyed: Songs, Grades 3, 4, 5 and 6; solo, What a Wonderful Mother You'd Be, Mr. Mandel; Aquatic songs, grades 3 and 4; children's songs, grades 2 and 4; readings, The Whistling Regiment, Miss Florence Delaney; songs, grades 5 and 6; violin solo, Mr. Donovan; Swedish Klapp dance, grades 1 and 2; solo, My Mother's Rosary, Miss Viola Warren; dramatization of Epaminondas, grade 2; Star Spangled Banner by children and audience.

Miss Garvey, Gallagher, Powers and Leblanc, and Messrs. Aguir and Davis had charge of the entertainment. A business meeting was called after the entertainment and it was voted to hold a special meeting the second Thursday in June.

AMERICAN FINANCIAL COMMISSION

LIMA, Peru, May 13.—The American financial commission which has been visiting Peru departed today on its way to Bolivia.

600 REFUGEES ARRIVE

NEW YORK, May 13.—More than 600 refugees from Greece and Serbia were among the 1400 steerage passengers on the Italian steamship Dava d'Aosta which arrived here today from Mediterranean ports.

Rubbing Eases Pain

When a child is hurt, mother rubs the spot. This is one of the principles of cure. Rubbing is an effective method of easing pain. Many suffer from lumbago, stiffness, lameness, backache, sciatica and all rheumatic pains when by rubbing with Minard's Liniment almost instant relief is at hand and with this delightful, creamy liniment, pain of every kind is sure to go. Why suffer the awful pains of lumbago and backache when at a trifling cost Minard's Liniment can be used so easily and so effectively?

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WOMAN WAS PREPARED

DRAWN LOADED REVOLVER WHEN GUNMAN DEMANDS DIAMONDS—WOULD BE ROBBER FLEES

BOSTON, May 13.—One South End woman got the surprise of a young lifetime yesterday noon when he tried to rob Mrs. Catherine Montgomery, at 263 Massachusetts avenue. The hold-up artist had the loot in sight, when he became a victim of nerve and preparedness and a loaded revolver was pressed against him.

Barring a few bruises on her arms caused by the burglar forcing her toward her bedroom to get her jewelry, Mrs. Montgomery is none the worse for the episode. A handful of torn and crumpled currency were the only visible signs of disturbance in her orderly and well-cared-for apartment.

The gunman demanded the woman's diamonds, but when she pulled a gun he fled and escaped over the apartment house roof.

Met Death Jumping a Ride at Roxbury—Bodies Mangled

BOSTON, May 13.—Two Roxbury boys, Michael Kelley, aged 16, of 938 Columbus avenue, and John W. O'Brien, aged 15, of 6 Kent street, were instantly killed about 8:30 last evening on the New Haven railroad, some 300 feet west of Heath street station, Roxbury. They had just stepped from an outgoing freight train into the path of an incoming passenger train, which struck and mangled them.

They were of a party of five or six and after the fatal accident some of the other boys rushed from the railroad tracks to Columbus avenue, where they found the bodies of the boys on the roadbed. They were removed to the mortuary.

Conductor James McFarlane of New York, and Engineer Landon of Belmont street, Somerville, did not know that their train killed the boys until they were holding the engine over at the South station they noticed blood stains and parts of a human body on the cowcatcher.

From what could be learned, the boys "jumped" the freight train near the bridge over Ruggles street and left it at Heath street. Patrolman McFarlane who is on fixed post at Roxbury Crossing, saw the boys on the freight as it passed, but he was not near enough to drive them off.

The news of the fatal accident spread through Roxbury and soon after it became known, the Roxbury crossing station was well filled with anxious parents. Among them was Richard Kelley, who had a premonition that his son was killed and pleaded with Lieut. Hennessey and Sergt. Ryan to tell him the names of the dead boys. They had not been identified then and Kelley became hysterical, believing the police were keeping the information away from him.

Later Mr. Kelley's daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Doyle, went to the morgue and identified the Kelley boy, the third oldest of eight children.

FOR MEMORIAL DAY

UNION BANDS WILL PARADE WITH VETERANS—U. S. CARTRIDGE CO. BAND WILL BE IN LINE

A few days ago it was said that the Musicians' union would not allow union musicians to participate in the Memorial day parade because certain members of the committee in charge of the parade were desirous of hiring the U. S. Cartridge Co. band, but this trouble has been amicably settled and the U. S. Cartridge Co. band will be in line in company with the Lowell Military band.

All of the members of the U. S. Cartridge Co. band and union musicians will take part in the parade. With the exception of three, and these three will probably be initiated into membership at a special meeting of the union to be held Sunday.

A. J. Gilman, chairman of the Memorial day music committee gave out a statement yesterday to the effect that both the Cartridge Co. band and the Lowell Military band have been hired to escort the Grand Army posts on Memorial day and that the Spanish war veterans will be headed by the Sixth Regiment band. This will make three bands in line.

President John J. Giblin, president of the Musicians' union has stated that William Rogan, leader of the U. S. Cartridge Co. band, and two other members have filed applications for membership in the union and that a special meeting of the union will be held on Sunday to pass upon the applications.

THE MODERN BLUEBEARD

WOMEN VICTIMS OF BELAR KISS

TOTAL 15—BODIES OF THREE STRANGLED WIVES FOUND

BUDAPEST, May 13.—Official investigation of the case of the modern Bluebeard, in the village of Cinkota, who it develops was known as Belar Kiss, shows that the man made a practice for years of deceiving women by marriage advertisements, securing their money on marriage promises and then murdering them.

The police have a record of 15 women, all missing, with whom Kiss was associated. In the house he had occupied were discovered packages of love letters from all parts of the world, including the United States.



## U. S. TROOPS CLOSE IN ON VILLA

## SECRET INDICTMENTS IN ARSON TRUST CASES

Woman Accused of Collecting Insurance on Children Burned in Fire of Suspicious Origin

BOSTON, May 13.—Further investigation by the grand jury into the operations of a so-called arson trust resulted today in the return of 12 secret indictments. Evidence in possession of Dist. Atty. Pelletier, it was authoritatively stated, included the case of a woman who collected insurance on two

## TROOPS REACH BORDER

Artillery and Militiamen Ready for Duty in Mexico—Recruiting is Progressing

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., May 13.—Two companies of coast artillery reached here today and pitched camp at Ft. Sam Houston near the militia encampment. It was said at headquarters that all of the other companies included in the movement will have arrived by night, making a total of seven at this point. Four companies have been sent to strengthen forces at El Paso and Marathon. Funston will reach headquarters tonight after an absence of more than two weeks, necessitated by the conference at El Paso with Gen. Obregon.

## MOBILIZATION OF 1000

## MILITIAMEN COMPLETED

COLUMBUS, N. M., May 13.—Mobilization of the one thousand men of the New Mexico National Guard was completed with the arrival here early today of additional companies, including a battery of artillery.

Recruiting to bring the command to war strength is progressing rapidly throughout the state according to reports to H. T. Herring, adjutant general. Reports reaching here from apparently authentic sources said that all south bound supply truck trains between Colonia Dublan and Namiquipa are being halted and sent back to the field base at Dublan.

## CARRANZA RENEWS EFFORTS

## TO CAPTURE VILLA BANDITS

WASHINGTON, May 13.—Despatch of 1000 Carranza troops northward toward the border in the Big Bend district of Coahuila, reported in advices from the international line, was regarded by officials here today as possibly indicating that the Mexican de facto government is making renewed efforts to capture bandits who have raided American border towns. Reports that the expedition might have a hostile purpose were not regarded seriously by administration authorities.

They intimated that the action tended to strengthen the belief that American and Mexican military authorities at El Paso had reached an unwritten agreement on co-operation along the border to prevent further bandit raids. The Mexican situation showed no sign of immediate change here today. President Wilson was cruising down the Chesapeake bay on the yacht Mayflower and did not expect to return before Sunday or Monday. Secretary Baker had taken a week-end trip to Atlantic City and Newark, N. J. Gen. Hugh L. Scott, chief of staff, was on his way to Washington from El Paso to report on his conferences with Gen. Obregon, war minister for the de facto government. He is expected here early next week and administration officials probably will

## HALIFOUX'S ON THE SQUARE

TIME WAITS FOR NO MAN  
Sixty seconds make a minute.  
Sixty minutes make an hour.  
How many minutes have you wasted?  
How many hours have you wasted?  
Time is precious; money is valuable. Time lost in waiting often costs the purchaser more than the thing purchased.  
If your time is limited, if you dislike waiting for what you wish to purchase, this unpleasantness of waiting will be turned into pleasure if you trade at Halifoux's.

Maud E. Anderson, High School Commercial Dept.

## REGULAR ARMY OF 206,000 MEN AT PEACE STRENGTH

Agreement Reached by House and Senate Conferees on Army Reorganization Bill, First of Big National Defense Measures—Authority to the Government to Seize and Operate Private Munitions Plants

WASHINGTON, May 13.—A regular army of 206,000 men at peace strength, capable of expansion to 254,000 men in time of war was agreed upon today by house and senate conferees on the army reorganization bill, first of the big national defense measures. The report will be submitted to both branches of congress for ratification next week.

In the agreement on the regular army, the senate bill system of organization was retained as a substitute for the house system which would have recruited a maximum army of 110,000 men.

The regular line of the army, the bill now provides, can never go below 100,000 and its maximum strength in times of peace would be 175,000 officers and men. In this calculation, however, there are excluded 3723 Philippine scouts, 6109 in the quartermaster's corps, 8250 in the medical department, 4387 in the signal corps, and 8750 unassigned recruits, a total of 31,559. These added to the regular line of 175,000 men give a total regular army peace strength of 206,559. The president is authorized to increase the regular army divisions to maximum strength without congressional action.

Under the conference agreement the regular army would consist of 65 regiments of infantry, 25 regiments of field artillery, a coast artillery corps of 30,000 officers and men, a signal

corps of 387 men, including the aviation section, and seven regiments of engineers. In the aviation section the number of officers is increased from a total of 60 to 118 including one colonel, one lieutenant colonel, eight majors, 24 captains and 114 first lieutenants.

The organization plan contemplates attaining the full peace strength within five years as proposed in the original preparedness plans.

General officers of the line would be increased by four major generals and 18 brigadier generals. The general staff of the army will be increased from 34 officers to 52. The provision of the senate bill, which would have placed officers of the National Guard in the general staff was stricken out, but provision was made for officers of the National Guard to be assigned to volunteer citizens' camps at government expense. An effort to give volunteer citizens the pay of enlisted men while in training camps failed.

A provision for vocational training for men in the regular army regulated by the secretary of war was left in the bill and the house proposal for government operation of nitrate manufacture stricken out.

Authority for the government to seize and operate private plants for manufacture of munitions of war in time of need is given and the president

is empowered to appoint a board of five men, two civilians and three army officers to investigate the advisability of establishment of government plants for their manufacture. The board would report before Jan. 1, 1917.

The president is authorized to appoint a board to investigate the mobilization of industries in time of war. The regular army enlistment is fixed at seven years, three with the colors and four in reserve, but if enlisted men muster military training in one year and wish to retire to the reserve they may be permitted on proving efficiency and upon recommendation of superior officers.

Final agreement was reached on the long disputed measure after a short session of the conference committee. The volunteer reserve army of 251,000 men provided in the senate bill goes out, leaving the reserve army to the national guard which will be federalized, according to provisions of the house bill. All officers and men of the guard must take an oath of allegiance to the United States as well as to the respective states.

The national guard at maximum strength will be recruited on the basis of 300 men to each congressional district, which would aggregate a total of 425,000 men. This reserve force, together with the regular army of 206,000 men would produce a combined defense force of 631,000 men.

## MEXICAN GIRL CALLED HOME FROM LOWELL

Carmen Reyes Will Give Up Her Studies Here to Obey Call of Carranza Government

Carmen Reyes, the Mexican girl who has been studying at the State Normal school in this city, has received notice from the Carranza government to report at once to the authorities at Mexico City. She will leave Lowell on Monday and will probably sail from New York on Tuesday morning.

Senorita Reyes is one of over 100 Mexican young women who came to this country to study our school system and fit themselves as teachers and the hurry call is translated by some of them to mean that the situation between Mexico and the United States is more serious than was supposed.

In an interview with The Sun some

## Orders Very Brief

It has been learned that the orders sent by Minister of Public Instruction Felix F. Palayanci to the Mexican consul at Boston, Eliseo Garcia, are brief and to the point.

They are to the effect that all engagements are to be cancelled and all plans dropped with further instructions to sail for Mexico on the steamer Monterey, which leaves New York on Tuesday morning.

"It may mean a call to arms and it may not—I hope not," said a Lowell man who has lived in Mexico and who knows the country and the people very well. "The Mexicans," he said, "feel very kindly in many ways towards the United States and in some other ways provoked. They feel that the United States have assumed a great deal and have trespassed where they do not belong. They want the United States expedition now in Mexico to get out. They feel that they have no right there."

## What U. S. Troops Out

It will be remembered that Carmen Reyes in her interview with The Sun gave as her opinion that Villa would never be caught by the United States soldiers. She based her opinion on the fact that Villa knows every inch of territory in which he is hiding. Other Mexicans who have been interviewed declare that even the Carranza soldiers who know Mexico would never catch Villa once he tried to run away, and then they ask: "What right have the American forces to stay down there when there is no hope of gaining their object?" They declare that Obregon will never give into Scott on that score.

Carmen Reyes is not inclined to talk, other than to say that she has been called home and must obey. She hopes there will be no war, but reluctantly admits that it looks very serious. Still she hopes something may be done so war may go on having peace. "There is one thing," she is not backward in expressing and that is her appreciation of the kindness of everyone with whom she has associated since coming to Lowell.



SENIORITA CARMEN REYES

## JEWISH MARK TWIN'S DEAD

NEW YORK, May 13.—Solomon Rubinstein, poet, author and playwright, best known as "The Jewish Mark Twain," died here today after a long illness. He was 57 years old. Solomon Altscham was his pen name.

## MRS. STRAUSS DEAD HUNT MEXICAN RAIDERS

LOWELL WOMAN DIED IN HOLYOKE AT THE HOME OF HER DAUGHTER

Mrs. Hannah Strauss, a prominent resident of this city, died last evening at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Leduc, in Holyoke. Deceased is survived by her husband, Alexander Strauss, owner of the Cheslar Misch store of this city; five sons, Dr. Israel Strauss of New York, Fred Strauss of this city, Ansel Strauss of New York, Dr. Abe Strauss of Cleveland, O., and Moses Strauss of Boston; three daughters, Mrs. Frank Leduc of Holyoke, Mrs. Milton Simons of Hartford, Conn., and Miss Minnie Strauss of this city. The body will be brought to the home, 15 Marlborough street this city. Funeral notice later. It is understood that Mrs. Strauss died quite suddenly.

MAJ. LANGHORNE AND HIS FLYING SQUADRON DASHING OVER HILLS IN MEXICO

MARATHON, Tex., May 13.—Major George T. Langhorne and his flying squadron of the 8th Cavalry are dashing over the white sand hills in Mexico today in a supreme effort to surprise the Mexican raiders of Glenn Springs and Beringham. They seek to rescue, if possible, Jesse Doerner, and two other Americans, John Woodson and P. Balsworth, who were captured by the Mexican raiders. Crossing was made yesterday and military men here believed that by tonight Major Langhorne will have covered 50 miles in the chase after bandits, who were last reported at a point 70 miles south of the border, in an abandoned cave. Close behind Major Langhorne is Col. A. C. Macomb with a detachment of the 14th cavalry.

## THE M. E. CONFERENCE

AGAINST PART OF REPORT DECLARING THAT PREFERENCE SHOULD BE GIVEN UNION LABOR

SARATOGA SPRINGS, N. Y., May 13.—By a vote of 147 to 250, the Methodist general conference today eliminated that part of the report of the commission on social service which declared that a preference should be given union labor in all matters affecting employment "insofar as its methods are just and insofar as the rights of unorganized men are not infringed upon."

## GENERAL STRIKE CALLED OFF

MADRID, May 12.—The general strike on all Spanish railroads, which had been set for May 20, has been called off. The points in dispute have been settled through concessions granted by the employers.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

## Attention!

CLAN-NA-GAEL

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ASSOCIATE HALL

Sunday Evening, 7.30

Without Uniforms Except Officers

The Committee of Arrangements

## FOUND DEAD IN BED

MICHAEL O'CONNELL DIED SUDDENLY IN BILLERICA TODAY

Michael O'Connell, a man of about 50 years of age, was found dead in bed at the home of his employer, R. U. Kearney, in Billerica this morning. O'Connell was apparently in good health yesterday and last night he retired early. He was found dead this morning by Mr. Kearney, who went to his room to call him for work. Medical Examiner Meigs viewed the body and pronounced death due to natural causes.

The dead man had worked for Mr. Kearney about a month, going to Billerica from Tewksbury, where he was formerly employed by C. W. Parsons.

## LOST ON THE LUSITANIA

MRS. SALT SUES OWNERS FOR \$50,000 FOR DEATH OF HER HUSBAND

BOSTON, May 13.—The loss of Henry J. Salt, a passenger on the steamer Lusitania, torpedoed on May 7, 1915, was made the basis of a suit for \$50,000 against the Cunard Steamship Co., owners of the vessel, which was filed in the federal court today by Salt's widow, Mrs. F. E. Salt of Needham. The bill stated that Mrs. Salt was acting in behalf of her two minor children. The bill alleges that the Lusitania was being navigated imprudently and negligently through necessary exposure to war zone hazards when she was sunk. The case will be heard on May 25.

## INDIGNATION MASS MEETING

—BY—

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Sunday, May 14, 8 P. M.

SPEAKERS

MAYOR JAS. E. O'DONNELL

JOSEPH SMITH

HON. JOSEPH F. O'CONNELL of Boston

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# DISORDERLY HOUSE RAID

Keeper Sentenced to Six Months  
—Autoist in Trouble— Other  
Cases in Police Court

As a result of a raid made last evening in a house at 50 Lee street by Special Officer J. H. Clark and Patrolmen Testafaras and Fulton, Charles Johnson appeared in police court this morning charged with keeping and maintaining a house of ill repute. William Keropkin and Rose Morowski who were also arrested in the raid were asked to answer to a complaint charging them with a statutory offense. John J. McGuire appeared for Johnson, Frank Goldman for Keropkin and Edward J. Tierney for the girl.

Special Officer Clark testified that the house on Lee street has been under surveillance for some time and that the raid was made last evening under the orders of Capt. Welch. He said that when he and his brother officers entered the house last evening, they found Keropkin and the girl in a room with the door locked. Officer Clark said he commanded the persons inside the room to open the door and that when his request was not complied with, he broke into the room. He said the room and its surroundings were in a very disorderly condition. He also said he had obtained other evidence that Johnson kept and maintained the house in question for immoral purposes. The evidence offered by Officers Testafaras and Fulton substantiated Officer Clark's testimony.

As it was Johnson's second appearance for a similar complaint, Judge Enright imposed a direct sentence and ordered the man committed to the house of correction for a term of six months. Through his attorney, J. J. McGuire, Johnson entered an appeal. Keropkin was fined \$10 and the woman \$30.

## Charge Against Autoist

William Manchester, charged with operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor, had his case continued for two weeks, and Endorlata Barretto, who, it is alleged, failed to stop his motorcycle when commanded to do so by a police officer, was given a continuance of one week in which to prepare his case. Rene Levesque, charged with assault and

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**HOSE REELS**

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battery, asked for a continuance of one week, which was granted.

## Larceny Case

The case of John Lira, charged in two counts with stealing articles from the homes of John Edmonds and John O'Malley, was called on continuance today. This case was called for trial Wednesday morning but was continued in order to give the local authorities a chance to look up Lira's record. The police found that one John Lira, a resident of Quincy, had been before the police court in Quincy several times within the past year, and the description of the man tallied closely with the defendant. Lira denied that he had ever been arrested and said that the Quincy man might have been his brother. His explanation that his brother's first name was also John didn't satisfy the court and Judge Enright ordered him to pay a fine of \$20 on each count.

Placed on Life  
Richard Ganley, the young man who accidentally shot a young woman, named Miss Margaret Quinn, about a month ago in Perry street, appeared in court this morning and his case was placed on life. Ganley, it will be remembered, was showing a revolver to his chum, William Keene, when it was accidentally discharged, the bullet striking Miss Quinn. Ganley was represented by George Toye.

## Drunk Cases

John Sousek was given six weeks in which to pay a fine of \$100 for drunkenness, and Francis Phelan, a Fitchburg resident, was ordered to pay a fine of \$15 for over indulgence. A woman who appeared in court on Wednesday in such a condition that she couldn't answer to the court when her name was called, was allowed to go free this morning on condition that she abstain from alcoholic beverages for one year. Several were placed on probation.

## SUN BRIEVITIES

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The Bohn Synphon refrigerator produces a rapid circulation of cold dry air. See them at Adams & Co's.

Mrs. E. J. McDougal of Andover will hold a whist party with special features next Friday evening at her home for the benefit of St. Peter's orphanage. A large patronage is assured.

The ambulance was summoned to the Tremont & Suffolk mills this morning to remove Manuel Francis, an employee who had two of his fingers crushed while working around a machine. The injured man was taken to his home, 70 Bradford street, where he received treatment.

Mrs. Hilda Lee Drew attended the commencement week exercises of the English college of Oratory in Boston and the annual alumnae banquet at the Vendome hotel Thursday evening. The exercises were brilliant and most interesting. This was one of the largest classes in the history of the college for 36 years, and every class was represented.

Deputy Grand Chancellor Fred B. Morrow of Haverhill and his suite were the guests of the members of Chas. H. Kildes, Knights of Pythias at their regular meeting last evening at Highland hall. A buffet luncheon was served and a delightful musical program was given. The local committee in charge of the reception was headed by H. G. Jones.

Among the United States letters patents of local interest recently issued, to Charles A. Le Duc and Harry Snider, secured through the office of Gen. Gardner W. Pearson, is one on a device intended principally for cutting shoe uppers. This die is reversible and is provided with counting mechanism whereby much space is saved and there is very little chance of error in the count.

A fire in a freight car in Jackson street at about 7:45 last evening was responsible for the ringing of an alarm from box 25. The car was filled with baled cotton consigned to the Hannon Manufacturing Co. Large volumes of smoke poured from the car which was badly damaged by the flames. The fire department arrived on the scene quickly and threw as many bales as possible into the street to prevent their destruction.

A well attended dancing party was conducted last evening in Usherian hall by the Young Ireland Athletic association, and the affair proved both enjoyable and successful. Sheehan's orchestra furnished music for a score or more dance numbers and at intermission refreshments were served. James A. Sheehan was general manager and Frank Brick, the floor director.

Lincoln Hall last evening was the scene of a very enjoyable "Gallon party" sponsored by young women employees of the C. F. Hatch Co. The hall was prettily decorated with many colored streamers and draperies and Neyman's orchestra furnished music for dancing which lasted until midnight. The affair was the second annual of its kind. Miss Myrtle Houston and Miss Jennie Smith were assisted by other young women of the concern. Had charge of the arrangements.

The second anniversary of the founding of the Trochiana Singing society was observed in a fitting manner at Highland hall last evening. The affair consisted of a musical program followed by general dancing. The opening number was by the society, and others who took part in the program were Miss Bertha Woessner, Mrs. Ray Finch, Misses Lena Drescher, Sophia Thum and others. The gentlemen in charge of the enjoyable affair were as follows: Manager, Carl Erlebach, floor director, Ernest Woessner, soloists, Mrs. E. Woessner, Mrs. A. Schramm, Mrs. H. Gienandt, Miss Sophie Boehme, Miss Sophia Thum, Miss Lena Drescher, Miss Emma Thum and Messrs. H. Gienandt, Wm. Rechl, A. Schramm, E. Woessner, Jr.

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## DEATHS

**HACKETT**—John H. Hackett died today at his home, 14 Waneat street. The body was removed to the funeral chambers of Higgins Bros.

**HATHAWAY**—Miss Emma L. Hathaway died May 9 in Mattapan after a long and painful illness. She was for many years the contralto of the quartet at the Kirk street church.

**CAKELAPOS**—Charles Cakelapos, infant son of Barnabas and Ellen, died yesterday at the Lowell General hospital, aged 6 months. Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at the Greek Orthodox church at 4 o'clock. Rev. Hariton Panagopoulos officiating. Burial was in the West-lawn cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Mr. Panagopoulos. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker C. H. Molloy.

**GALLAGHER**—Hugh J. Gallagher, a prominent resident of this city, died last evening at his home, 562 Central street after a brief illness, aged 65 years. Deceased was born in Ireland and came to Lowell at the age of 15. A few years after his arrival in this city he became a stationary fireman and worked at his trade until about ten years ago when he secured employment as watchman at the Federal Shoe Co., position he held until the time of his death. Deceased leaves to mourn his loss his wife, Ellen; three brothers, Peter, Frank and James J. Gallagher. He was a prominent member of Court Middlesex, F. of A.

**MESSINGER**—Mrs. Alice Queenan Messinger, died today at St. John's hospital, aged 36 years. She leaves to mourn her loss a husband, Elmer C. Messinger, one sister, Mrs. James H. Keating and one brother, Frank Queenan, three children, Anna May, Elmer and Gertrude. The body was removed to the funeral chambers of Higgins Bros.

## FUNERALS

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**KANE**—The funeral of the late Patrick Kane took place this morning at 9:30 o'clock from the chapel of James F. O'Donnell & Sons and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to St. Patrick's church where at 10 o'clock a mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Timothy Callahan. There were many beautiful floral tributes, including a large wreath from the wife; wreath with ribbon inscribed "Good Bye Grandpa Kane." Miss Marion Fraser, and pieces from Mr. and Mrs. Richard Noonan, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, Mrs. Katherine Kane and Miss Kane and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Parley. The bearers were Michael Kierman, Patrick Smith, James J. Kane and Charles Smith. At the grave Rev. Father Callahan read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Undertakers James E. O'Donnell & Sons.

**DESMARIN**—Mrs. Onesime Desmarais, nee Delphine Desrochers, a prominent and highly respected resident of West Centralville, died this morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Bourret, 301 Lakewood avenue, after a lingering illness borne with fortitude and resignation. Mrs. Desmarais had been a resident of this city for over 25 years. She was a kind mother and a true Christian and her sterling qualities created for her a host of friends who will mourn with grief of her demise. Deceased was 78 years, 10 months and 5 days old and was a member of the Third Order of St. Francis and of the sodality of St. Louis' parish. She leaves to mourn her loss four sons, Joseph of Derry, N. H., Napoleon, Albert and Ernest, all residing in this city, and two daughters, Mrs. Auguste Jodoin and Mrs. Charles E. Bourret.

**McMILLAN**—The funeral of Miss Mary McMillan was held at the rooms of Undertaker George W. Healey, 79 Branch street yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Caleb E. Fisher, D.D., pastor of the First Universalist church. Burial was in the family lot in the Edison cemetery.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We wish to extend our most sincere thanks to all our friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy in our recent bereavement. Special bouquets and floral tributes during our recent bereavement.

St. Lawrence and Bellegarde families.

## FUNERAL NOTICES

**COOK**—The funeral of the late James Cook will take place Sunday afternoon, May 14, at 2 o'clock, from the funeral parlors of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons at 2 o'clock. Friends invited. Burial will be in the Edison cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

**FULLER**—Died in this city May 13, at her home, 10 West Meadow road, Miss Emma Josephine Fuller, aged 63 years. Funeral services will be held from the home of Miss Martha V. Worcester, 31 Sherman street, on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Friends are invited. The interment will be in the family lot in the Lowell cemetery and will be private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers Simmons & Brown.

**GALLAGHER**—The funeral of Hugh J. Gallagher will take place Monday morning at 8 o'clock from his late home, 562 Central street. At 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem will be celebrated at St. Peter's church. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

**MCKENNON**—The funeral of Mrs. Alice Queenan Messinger will take place Monday morning at 8 o'clock from the funeral chambers of Higgins Bros. on Lawrence street. High mass of requiem will be celebrated at the Immaculate Conception church at 2 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral in charge of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

**O'NEILL**—The funeral of the late David O'Neill will take place Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock from his late home, 559 Broadway. A high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

## REPORT OF DEATHS

For the Week Ending May 13, 1916

- 5—George W. Brothers, 62, angina pectoris.
- John Wenzel, 2 m, lob. pneumonia.
- Frank Bowen, 64, ac. cardiac dilatation.
- Virgil J. Peck, 65, cer. hemorrhage.
- Daniel Lobas, 1, tub. meningitis.
- Mary Cote, 55, cer. pneumonia.
- Bridget Flawley, 55, carcinoma.
- Edda Strangle, 12, chr. par. nephritis.
- Winifred Monroe, 65, arterio-sclerosis.
- Pauline Hebert, 1, lob. pneumonia.
- Jane P. Smith, 64, arterio-sclerosis.
- Susan F. Reine, 55, cancer.
- Patrick Riley, 55, disease of the heart.
- Julia A. Carroll, 65, carcinoma.
- Jadwiga Kowalska, 1, tub. meningitis.
- Eliza Keating, 66, fatty degeneration of heart.
- Edwin B. Stewart, 57, accident.
- Alice Winslow, 41, cer. hemorrhage.
- David Cording, 52, disease of the heart.
- Pierre Hetu, 55, broncho-pneumonia.
- Mary E. St. Lawrence, 40, pulm. tuberculosis.
- Costas P. Scaperdas, 3, ep. cer. meningitis.
- Leonida Kakepoulis, 1, diphtheria.
- Mary McMillan, 55, lob. pneumonia.
- Ellen Cox, 40, post part. hemorrhage.
- Rose Silva, 11 m, con. debility.
- Demius Madden, 35, cancer.
- Patrick J. Rizer, 32, accident.
- Agnes A. Gray, 59, post operative ileus.
- Thomas S. Dewire, 41, pulm. tuberculosis.
- Patrick Kane, 64, arterio-sclerosis.
- Augusta Pais, 1, con. heart disease.
- Evangelos Kontis, 8 m, broncho-pneumonia.
- Charles Cakelapos, 6 m, pulm. tuberculosis.
- James Cook, 63, pulm. tuberculosis.
- Stephen Flynn, City Clerk.

## THE IRISH SITUATION

LONDON, May 12.—John Redmond, the Irish nationalist leader, and Sir Edward Carson, the Ulster unionist leader, hold the future of Ireland in their hands. If the two Irish leaders, representing the north and south of Ireland, can come to an agreement on the handling of the Irish situation, the British government will be ready to accept their plan.

Redmond and Carson, whatever differences may have divided them, are not personal enemies, and it is believed they may be able to formulate a policy which will satisfy Ireland, north and south, and bring the present troubles to an end.

What this compromise can eventually be, is uncertain. It is believed that parliament might agree to put the home rule bill in immediate effect if the two Irish leaders can make an agreement on that basis. It is said by many means certain, however, that Sir Edward Carson would be willing to go that far with a compromise plan.

**PRESENTATION TO MISS MCKOSKER**  
Miss Emma McKosker, the well known bookkeeper at the local office of the T. C. Lee Life Insurance company, was presented a purse of gold last evening at a reception tendered her by

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employees of the office and friends with the company, and congratulated her upon her approaching marriage. Miss McKosker was taken completely by surprise but she made a fitting response, saying that she would always cherish her connections with the office and the members of the office force.

Following the presentation a supper was served by Caterer Harvey after which a delightful musical and literary program was carried out. Miss Cora Barrows was the accompanist of the evening.

## SPECIAL NOTICE

Mr. George Lynch, the well known wood dealer of Marion street, has engaged in the Meat, Provisions and Grocery business in the store numbered 139 Adams street, corner of Lagrange, which is known as the New England Market, where he intends in the future to have one of the best regulated stores in that section, supplied with everything in that line of trade. He has been fortunate in engaging the services of Humphrey Coffey, the well known provision dealer as manager, and under their management they will try and please all their old friends as well as new and invite the public to call. You will be sure to receive satisfactory treatment.

George Lynch, Proprietor. Humphrey Coffey, Manager.

NEW ENGLAND MARKET, 139 ADAMS ST., COR. LAGRANGE ST.

## EAGLES, TAKE NOTICE

The next regular meeting of Lowell Aerie, No. 223, F. O. E., will be held at their new quarters,

**No. 5**



## GREAT DOG SHOW

Largest Ever Held in  
New England at the  
Vesper Club

Social circles of Lowell, and more especially those who love and own dogs, are looking forward with eager anticipation to the great dog show which will be held at the Vesper Country Club, Thursday, June 8, under the auspices of the Ladies Dog Club. This is the annual show of the club which, next to the American Kennel Association, is the largest in America. The shows of the American Kennel Association are held annually at Minneapolis, Minn.

The officers of the Ladies Dog Club are: President, Mrs. E. H. Seagrave; first vice president, Miss Fanny Brooks; second vice president, Mrs. T. H. Whittemore; treasurer, Mrs. C. F. Denner; secretary, Miss Rita Tuboi. These, aided by an energetic committee, have made elaborate arrangements for the affair, and it is expected that the show will be the largest open-air dog show ever held in New England. All of the principal kennels from Chicago, Philadelphia, and New York will make nominations, and exhibits are booked from New York, Philadelphia, Detroit, Portland, Ore., and many points in Illinois and through the middle west. A Lowell lady who is intensely interested in the affair says that it will advertise this city in social circles throughout the country, as well as the city among lovers of fine cattle. It is expected that dog fanciers from all over New England will support the Lowell show and will be present in large numbers.

The list of special prizes numbers some three hundred objects and over \$500 in cash has already been subscribed. The show will have as patronesses some of the best known women in Lowell, including: Mrs. Julian Talbot, Mrs. Joseph F. Talbot, Mrs. James E. Nesmith, Mrs. Frederick P. Marble, Mrs. Butler Ames, Mrs. Terry D. Grist, Mrs. Charles J. Wood, Mrs. Harry Pollard, Mrs. Warren O. Winsor, Mrs. Theodore L. Parker.

The judges selected are people who are all socially prominent: Dr. John F. De Mund, Brooklyn, N. Y., Boston terriers and Russian terriers; J. E. Connerford, Brighton, Mass., collies; I. W. Comey, Newton, Mass., St. Bernards; John R. Thorndike, New City, N. Y., Irish terriers; John P. Dowditch, Foxhounds and beagles; Robert Sedgwick, Jr., New York, Scottish West Highland White and Welsh corgis; Walter D. Grist, Cystor Bay, N. Y., English bulldogs; Vincent Turley, Brookline, Mass., French bulldogs; George W. Quintard, Bayside, N. Y., fox terriers; Mrs. W. M. Van Buren, New York, Pekingese spaniels; George S. Thomas, Hamilton, Mass., general breeds and varieties, unclassified specialties, etc.

Charles E. O'Connor, 36 Broomfield street, Boston, Mass., will act as manager of this show and the entries will close with him on May 25.

## FATE OF 15,000 UNKNOWN

WERE CARRIED OFF TO RUSSIA  
DURING RUSSIAN INVASION OF  
EAST PRUSSIA

BERLIN, May 12.—(By wireless to Sayville)—The Chronicle of the Christian World, a religious weekly, says that during the second Russian invasion of East Prussia, 15,000 women, children and old men were carried off to Russia and that the fate of most of them is unknown," says the Overseas News agency.

"It is stated 30,000 houses were looted and destroyed, 13 churches demolished, 26 rectories and six churches damaged, and six clergymen with their families carried off.

## THE SPELLBINDER

Frequent requests have been made at city hall, recently, for better police and park facilities, and yet there is no more crime and no more parks, with the exception of the additional playgrounds. We have the word of Supt. Welch for the excellent condition of the city as regards morals and law-enforcement, which, recently, he made the subject of an address at a banquet. And yet more police appear to be needed, and the reason is obvious. The city is growing rapidly since the industrial boom struck it, and with the increased activity, and the increased population some of the police routes covering a great area which could be readily looked after in the past, are now too large for proper attention by one patrolman. Then the general adoption of the motor truck by business men, and the increased number of automobiles, make it necessary to provide an increased number of patrol officers at the intersecting streets where traffic is continuous, and conditions dangerous. Mayor O'Donnell has been asked to place police boxes in Gorham street near Moore, though there is no box now at a great distance beyond that point, and in outer Middlesex street near the city line. Those making the requests, evidently believe that the presence of the box assures the frequent presence of the patrolman. It will be noted that the locations asked for are at points where travel to and from two of the large munitions plants is greatest; localities that have grown in population, excitement and bustle. Relative to the park system, people are beginning to appreciate the parks of Lowell more than they have in the past and are frequenting them more numerous. Since the coming of the herd of deer to Fort Hill, large crowds have been attracted to that picturesque but heretofore generally overlooked spot.

## Problem of Leisure Time

The demand for more and adequately equipped and supervised playgrounds brings up one of the latest of municipal questions, the problem of leisure time. In this matter the city of Lowell is not alone. Children between the ages of 10 and 16 have a great amount of leisure time on their hands. They attend school about 153 days in the year, and five hours a day. The rest of the time is their own, and they are not permitted to go to work during it. Upon how they utilize that leisure time depends largely their future. In olden days the children had wide fields in which to roam, but in crowded industrial centers, comparatively few have even a back yard and are compelled to find amusement on the public streets. If they seek recreation at the parks, invariably they are confronted by the ominous injunction to "Keep off the grass," and thus the park system allows them comparatively little opportunity for constructive play. If you watch them after school in the afternoon you will find hundreds on the streets, doing absolutely nothing, idling away their time, watching what others are doing. The work of providing suitable opportunity for the children for recreation and play has been taken up by the Women's clubs of the country and by other organizations, but the question has now become a problem for the municipalities to take up and solve, and already Lowell has begun to do something in a small way.

It is called a "city of humanity." It builds hospitals for the sick, and hospitals for the segregation of those afflicted with contagious diseases; it looks after the defectives, the aged and infirm, and while it is Grover Cleveland who once said: "It is not the duty of the government to support the people, but the duty of the people to support the government," the statement is reversed by the city of today, and a helping hand is extended to those who are handicapped in fighting

the battle of life. The question of the leisure time of children is now classed among the obligations of the city along humanitarian lines. Hence, the cities have begun by setting aside places in which the children may play. On account of the crowded condition of most cities, but small spaces are available within a short distance. This fact has led to the question of supervision at the playgrounds for the purpose of protecting the rights of the younger and weaker from the older and stronger. But the playground supervisor has brought with him or her another advantage beyond that of protection, for many children know neither how nor what to play and the supervisor therefore instructs them in what has been aptly termed the technique of play, and with most beneficial results, to all concerned. The question is new as yet, and it is hard to convince some taxpayers, and perhaps some city fathers of the importance of adequate appropriations for parks and supervised playgrounds, but it is growing in importance, and we will yet spend large amounts of money for educational work in the leisure time of those who are to be the fathers and mothers, and citizens of the future. This year's municipal council made one good move in adding to the playground system by acquiring land at Chambers street, and yet was adversely criticised in certain quarters.

On the question of the leisure time of adults much might be written. The police court always has its largest docket on Monday, after a day of leisure. The coming of the movie shows has done much to occupy the leisure time of the adults in cities, while it also has its special attraction for the children. More than 20,000,000 attend moving picture shows every day in America. And now many are advocating the municipalization of this form of entertainment, not only as a means of providing more elevating and instructive pictures, but also as a source of revenue to meet municipal expenses. Legalized Sunday baseball would go a great way toward keeping men out of harm's way during their leisure hours on the Sabbath, but such a proposition hasn't a burglar's chance in staid old New England at this time, and hence it's a waste of time and energy to advocate it.

## Almost Ready on Bridge

Next week the plans for the new Pawtucket bridge are expected to be in shape whereupon the permission to start work will be applied for from the harbor and land commission, and then they'll get started on the actual work, and there'll be a new bridge at the falls this year, after all.

## THE SPELLBINDER.

## THOUSANDS AT NAVY YARD

"NAVY DAY" PROGRAM ARRANGED BY MASS. AUXILIARY OF OF NAVAL RELIEF SOCIETY

BOSTON, May 13.—The Charlestown navy yard, in which forty vessels of war had been assembled, was visited by thousands of persons today in connection with a "Navy Day" program arranged by the Massachusetts Auxiliary of the Naval Relief Society.

Among the principal demonstrations of naval preparedness were the maneuvers of the L-1, representative of the latest type of submarines in the United States navy. It was arranged that the little craft should submerge four times during the day. The launching of a torpedo by the torpedo boat destroyer, O'Brien had an important place in the events of both morning and afternoon.

The fighting ships, ranging from the submarines to the super-dreadnoughts were dressed for the occasion. The only vessels without colors were ten submarines built for the British government by an American company and interned at the local yard for the duration of the war.

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Every housewife wants a Gas Water Heater. Every housewife needs one. Now, then, is the opportunity to buy one at a saving and on such easy terms that you will never feel the payment.

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\$1 per month

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## DELIGHTFUL CONCERT WALKER SHOE STORE

FIRST OF THE SEASON GIVEN AT THE STATE NORMAL SCHOOL YESTERDAY

A delightful concert, the first of the season, was given yesterday afternoon at the State Normal school in Broadway under the auspices of the department of music of the school. Among the artists who took part in the program were Arthur Hackett, tenor, head of the department; Albert Edmund Brown of the school faculty. The members of the Glee club also delighted with several numbers, while the accompanists were Miss Gertrude A. O'Brien, Mrs. Arthur Hackett and Mrs. A. E. Brown.

The audience was large and appreciative and each number on the program was given a warm reception. The singing of Mr. Hackett was particularly good, while Mr. Brown rendered his numbers in his usual artistic manner. The singing of the Glee club was remarkably good, doing credit to the training the young women are receiving. Their part of the program was interesting because of its varied character, and the apparent versatility which the singers have acquired.

The names of the members of the Glee club are as follows:

First soprano—Catherine M. Connell, Hazel Weinbeck, Grace Murray, Louise Brien, Jessie W. Brown, Margaret Garvey, Ethelred Hayes, Alice K. Ryan, Mina Valentine, Nettie Ginsburg, Frances Leggat, Doris Piper, Gertrude T. Carey, Margaret E. Cochran, Helen K. Gillen, Beulah E. Higgins, Mary T. Sullivan, Marie S. Dempsey, Freda E. White, Teresa O'Connor, Dorothy E. Burdick, Frances A. Gault, Bertha E. Hanson, May J. Pratt, Lorraine A. Tardiff.

Second soprano—Genevieve A. Callahan, Harriet L. McAlon, Lotta Warkley, Clara Anderson, Mary C. Finning, Irene F. Kline, Elizabeth H. O'Neill, Lillian C. Kenna, Alice G. Lynch, V. Helen C. Harrington, Margaret P. O'Leary, Mary E. Park, Mary C. Laferty, Margaret Mullen, Lillian F. Baylake, Catherine L. Farley, Laura Henderson, Mary O. McQuillen.

Alto—Honora A. Lane, Gertrude F. O'Brien, Alicia White, Dorothy Lennon, Mary C. Conner, Mary A. Fear, Olive E. Messer, Bessie J. Bourne, Stella G. Maloney, Dorothy Driscoll, Jessie Clony, Marietta B. Breakey, Theresa R. Gynn, Marion J. Phillips, Lillian M. Donahue, Helen A. Castles, Zilpha Wallace, Florence M. Conkey, Mary E. Farly, Laura J. Joy, Lillian F. Swanson, Helene J. Mack.

PRES. WILSON ON CRUISE  
NEWPORT NEWS, Va., May 13.—The yacht Mayflower, with the president and Mrs. Wilson aboard for a week-end cruise, anchored off the ship yard here this morning from Washington.

The naval yacht Sylph was waiting off Newport News and soon after the president's arrival he and Mrs. Wilson left the Mayflower and went aboard. The Sylph started immediately for a trip up the James river and it was expected the president would visit the ruins of Jamestown.

No salutes were fired as the Mayflower passed Fortress Monroe and the battleships anchored in Hampton Roads, and the president's flag was not flown.

CHARTER AS A STATE BUSINESS CORPORATION GRANTED NEW LOWELL FIRM

Special to The Sun

STATE HOUSE, Boston, May 13.—A charter as a Massachusetts business corporation was granted yesterday to the Walker Shoe Store, Inc., of Lowell, with a capital stock of \$5000, consisting of one hundred shares of a par value of \$50 each.

The officers of the corporation, and their respective stock holdings, are as follows: President and treasurer, Joseph Fredberg of 51 Nesmith street, Lowell; five shares; clerk, Henrietta D. Fredberg, same address, five shares; directors, the above and Samuel Fredberg, of the same address, 10 shares. Only 20 shares of stock are to be issued at the present time, and these are to be paid for in cash.

## Familiarity Breeds Contempt

The state senate had a hot fight yesterday over the bill providing that all applicants for licenses to drive motor vehicles shall be required to pass a practical test. At present chauffeurs alone are required to make an actual demonstration of their efficiency.

Senator George B. Marchand of Lowell was one of those who voted for the bill, but it was rejected by a vote of 20 to 15. After Senator James W. Bean had declared that the highway commissioners have found that by far the greater number of accidents happen to experienced drivers. When a man first begins driving a car, the senator said, he is always very careful, but as experience comes to him he generally forgets in seeing how close he can come to an accident and avoid it, so that it is only a question of time when he gets over the danger mark.

If the bill were passed, he said, the highway commission would have to

employ a large number of persons to make the practical examinations, and the commission already has in its employ enough men who have never driven a car themselves. These men would have to take applicants down to the busy corners in Boston, in order to give them a real test, and it would be inevitable that a large number of accidents would result from the tests.

## HOYT.

ST. JOHN'S MAY PARTY  
The annual May party of St. John's Ladies' Auxiliary society was held

last evening in the North Chelmsford town hall, and the affair proved successful from every standpoint.

Dancing was started at about 8 o'clock to music furnished by Marine's Crescent orchestra and continued until midnight, with the exception of a short intermission which came at 10 o'clock. During intermission refreshments were served.

The committee in charge of the affair consisted of the following: Miss May Fallon, general manager; Miss Anna Walsh, assistant general manager; Miss Mary Murphy, floor director.

Lowell, Saturday, May 13, 1916

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Ladies' White Lisle Tights—Knee, lace trimmed or cuff; were 50c.....**38c Each**

Ladies' White Lisle Union Suits—Low neck, sleeveless and lace or cuff knee; were 50c.....**38c Each**

Ladies' Fibre Silk Hose—With lisle knee, gray, sand, Alice blue, white, black; were 50c.....**38c a Pair**

Ladies' Black Medium Lisle Hose—Linen toe and heels, seconds; were 25c.....**17c a Pair**

Ladies' Thread Silk Hose—Double soles, spliced heels, in all colors and black and white; were 35c.....**25c a Pair**

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## MOST PEOPLE

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LOWELL HIGH BEATEN

MILFORD, N. H., TEAMS TAKES  
GAME BY 6 TO 3 SCORE—LOWELL  
HIGH VS. WOBURN HIGH TODAY

The Lowell high school baseball team journeyed to Milford, N. H., yesterday afternoon and was defeated by the high school team of that place in a loosely played game. The score was 6 to 3. Lowell passed up several chances to clinch the game by losing steadily.

Mulino pitched for the local nine and made a good showing. While he was found for nine hits he kept them scattered and struck out nine men. With good support the score would have been different. Daniels, Milford's finger, is sued eight passes. But five hits were

The high school team left today for Woburn to play the fast team of that city. Falls will probably pitch for Lowell and Collupe, who has made a good record so far this year, will twirl for the Woburn organization. The score

In yesterday's game was:									
MEDFORD HIGH									
			ab	r	bl	po	a		
Kennelly	3b	.....	3	3	2	1	0		
Cleary	cf	.....	3	1	1	1	0		
Johnston	c	.....	2	1	1	14	0		

ward 2b	4	0	3	3	1
Langdell 1b	3	1	3	6	0
Fell rf	4	0	0	1	0
Hall ss	4	0	1	0	0
Gogan lf	3	0	0	1	0
Cahill lf	1	0	0	0	0
Daniels p	4	0	0	0	4

Totals .....	31	6	9	27	5
LOWELL HIGH					
Lynch lf .....	1	0	0	0	0
Toste lf .....	0	0	0	0	0
Liston c .....	4	0	0	11	1
Sutcliffe lb .....	5	0	0	17	0

ot	Switzer 1b	3	0	1	1	0
	Falls cf	3	2	1	1	1
g-	Hayward 2b	4	1	0	1	0
3-	Callahan rf	3	0	0	0	0
or	Condon 3b	3	0	0	0	0
at	Hunter 3b	1	0	1	1	0
	Whittier ss	2	0	0	1	1
	A. Goodall-ss	1	0	0	1	0

Milford High	2	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	*
Lowell High	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0

Stolen bases: Lynch, Switzer, Falk  
3. Hayward 2, Hunter, Mulno 2. Ke-  
nelly, Cleary 2, Johnston, Hall. Sac-  
rifice hits: Liston, A. Goodall, Clear.  
Left on bases: Lowell 10; Milford  
Bases on balls: Off Mulno 4; off Da-  
fels 8. Hit by pitcher: By Danle  
25.

WITH THE PADDED MITTS

ated contest next Monday evening when Andy Cortez of Brooklyn met Willie Houck of Philadelphia in a round mill. Both boys are of rugged school and there are no moments after the bell rings. Cortez

Joe Egan of South Boston will

pose Carl Herz of Washington, D. C., Monday night at Derry, N. H., in a round affair. Eagan is a peculiar right man, for when he opposes a fourth round boxer he looks like a champion. I send him against a real good performer and he selects a soft spot on

After a long wait, Charley Wh

the Chicago lightweight, will proba-  
get his chance at the lightweight  
championship in Buenos Ayres so-  
time next July, as the promoters  
dickering for a match between Fred  
Welsh and White, and if arranged

According to press accounts, Frankie Moran, the Pittsburgh heavyweight, has amassed something like \$50,000 during the past seven months. Moran received this amount for his ring

movie rights of the Moran-Will  
ar- scrap and the newspaper writing  
did prior to the big match. He  
Na- bouts in prospect with Fred Fulton  
ven- Jack Dillon, each of which should  
of him another neat sum.

Al Badoud, the Swiss fighter who claims the welterweight championship of Europe, will make his American debut tonight when he stacks up against Frank Loughrey at a Brooklyn club.

Larry Williams of Philadelphia  
has been signed to meet Slashing Jack

are: Williams will do well to stay the rounds allotted him, as Dillon is great guns at present and should Williams if he extends himself.

AY  
Battling Levinsky of Stratford, Conn., and Gunboat Smith of New York, renewed hostilities on Monday at Olympia A.A. of Philadelphia. The two warriors met some time ago in New Orleans and Smith was awarded a questionable decision. "The su-

OST  
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Young Fulton, a welterweight fig  
of New York, was disqualified for  
using the long barred pistol punch

other night. Fulton swung around catching his opponent flush on the sending him down. The referee immediately waved Fulton to his corner. He gave the fight to his opponent of soul. Fulton was winning easily.

Gardner Brooks, the local bantamweight, will leave Lowell shortly for New York, where he will prepare for several bouts his manager, Jerry

ton, has secured for him. His first will probably take place over in Philadelphia in three weeks as Jack Guigan, the Phillie promoter, wants use Brooks if possible. Brooks has a nice rest since he lost to M.

Joe Thomas, ex-middleweight, who made Lowell his home se-

years ago but more recently a native of Providence, has been appointed official referee of the largest club side of Boston in New England, National A.C. of Providence. This is well known throughout the country.

having made friends while a kn of the padded mitts and his many oil friends wish him success in his position. Joe refereed bouts at Lowell Social club a few years, and invariably gave general satisfaction.

**BLACK AND WHITE BALL**  
The Ladies of Charity of St. Joseph's hospital will hold a very important meeting tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock at the hospital.

to hear reports of the committee the recent black and white ball. Final arrangements will be made for collection of money due for tickets, etc. and it is hoped that a complete report may be made within a week.

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## OUR PATRIOTIC DEAD

MASS MEETING AT ASSOCIATE HALL  
TO DENOUNCE BRUTAL EXECUTIONS IN DUBLIN

The savage methods England is employing to terrorize Irish patriots have shocked the moral sensibilities of mankind. Men stand aghast at the proceedings of British courts-martial. Within the space of a few hours Irishmen have been tried, convicted and executed for the crime of loving their country. The military satrap responsible for this is executing the orders sent them from London. Strike and spare not, is the program they are called upon to carry out. There is no leniency extended to those who took part in the Dublin revolt. Neither is there any respect shown to the public opinion of the world. The press of this country has been unsparing in its denunciation of the vindictive spirit manifested by military courts sitting in Dublin. Irish Americans have been stunned as well as enraged by the exhibition of English savagery practiced upon their kin and kin already in Springfield and Pittsfield, Mass., and other places. Next Sunday evening, May 14,

a meeting will be held at Associate hall to voice Lowell's abhorrence of the infamous deeds perpetrated in Dublin with the full sanction of the English government. We know it is not necessary to urge the people of Lowell to avail themselves of this occasion to show what they think of England's brutal crimes against our brothers. We hope that every man who reads these lines will not only be present in Assembly hall next Sunday evening, but will exert himself or herself to bring along friends and acquaintances. Let us show that we are not indifferent to the crimes perpetrated last week in Dublin and in Cork this week, by England's agents.

Associate hall next Sunday evening should be crowded to its utmost capacity by those who wish to register their condemnation of those crimes. For order the Committee of Arrangements, for the Mass Meeting.

## DIAMOND DAZZLES

Guerin, the little fellow who pitched seven innings in Wednesday's game with Bridgeport, is only 18 years old, but is one of the coolest pitchers in the league.

The Lowell batters banged the ball in an angry way and all night. They looked alike to Lord's team yesterday.

Torphy's fumble of an easy grounder was the only misplay made by Lowell and that was not costly.

Of five hits made of George Tyler of the Braves yesterday, two were home runs and three were triples. Braves won the game, 5 to 4.

Whitaker, a Lynn pitcher, got a single, a double and a home run in three times up off Cero of Hartford yesterday.

Jimmy Magee, the former Lowell outfielder, is playing left field for Billy Hamilton's Worcester team.

Danny Murphy, who is here as manager of the New Haven team, holds the world's record for batting in a single game. When he joined the Athletics he made six hits in six trips to the plate in his first game, the feat having been accomplished only once before, by Clarence Beaumont.

"Bob" Desmond, son of Connie of Stockpole street, the clever little mascot of the Lowell team, was attired in a new uniform yesterday. Bob's garments were similar to those of the players' home suits in every way and was made by the same firm, cap, stockings and all. The little mascot performed a little in his new suit by assisting in warming up some of the pitchers before the game and he had a little trouble in hanging on to their shoos.

Clyde Engle, who has played on the New York and Boston American league teams, and who was third baseman for the Newark Federals last year, was signed as utility man by Manager Lee Fohl of the Cleveland American league team yesterday.

Hal Chase's sensational work with the Cincinnati Reds creates another good drawing card for the National league. When Prince Hal was at his best with the Yankees it was claimed that no first baseman the game ever knew was his equal. New York fans claimed he was even superior to Jack Daubert. But Brooklyn fans refused to believe that there was anything in the first base line superior to Daubert.

Joe Boelling's performance against the St. Louis Browns makes it plain that the blonde southpaw is going to be of considerable help to the Nationals this season.

Tris Speaker says: "I figured when I went to Cleveland that all I would have to do was to make a few hits, have a bit and run around through the motions. I saw only a joy season ahead. I found the Indians ready to play great ball, and I am sure we have a one-two-three proposition."

Fred Ban Johnson says that the west never has shown such enthusiasm over baseball. "We are not worrying about the east," he continued, "as that section always gets going right not before June 1."

The Toledo American association club officials received word Thursday from Manager Bresnahan that Pitcher Collamore has been turned back to the Cleveland Americans. Bresnahan, at the beginning of the season, purchased Collamore on a month's trial for \$1000.

EDISON FAVORS ROOSEVELT  
OYSTER BAY, N. Y., May 13.—Thos. A. Edison has come out for Col. Roosevelt for president. He has expressed his opinion of the colonel's fitness in vigorous terms, and in the letter in which he makes his views known and which he has sent to the Roosevelt Non-Partisan league, he declares that Col. Roosevelt is the only man to be considered at this time.

## HEIRS TO BIG ESTATE

\$50,000 FOR MRS. ELVIRA GARY  
AND B. H. NICHOLS — A. S. NICHOLS MISSING SINCE 1885

BOSTON, May 13.—If Aiden Stuart Nichols, a schoolboy in Charlestown when the Civil war broke out, had not enlisted and served in the Union army, his sister, Mrs. Elvira Gary of 47 Battery street, Back Bay would probably never have known of his death in Aurora, Neb., five months ago. Also an estate of about \$50,000 which she had gone to that state instead of to Mrs. Gary and her nephew, Bertram H. Nichols of East Washington, N. H. Nichols died intestate last December. There were no letters, no papers to indicate any relatives. The Nebraska attorney general had started proceedings to claim the property when through the bureau of pensions at Washington and the office of the adjutant general of Massachusetts it was learned that Mr. Nichols had served in Co. F, 47th Massachusetts regiment, and the discovery of the heirs followed.

Yesterday Judge William L. Stark of Aurora, administrator named by the state, left Boston for home after taking depositions before Special Commissioner C. F. Gaynor, which, it is believed, will remove all doubts in Nebraska courts as to the lawful heirs to the estate.

## Always Fond of Sister

Mrs. Gary is a widow and lives with her son, Dr. William H. R. Gary. The last word from her brother came to her in a letter mailed from Elyria, Minn., July 16, 1885, which she was 17.

Bertram H. Nichols is a middle-aged man who is now farming. He is married and has one child.

The depositions have been taken in the last few days in room 1001, Carney building, 43 Tremont street, with Mrs. Gary and Nichols chief witnesses. Photographs, signatures, represented to those of Aiden Stuart Nichols, letters and other convincing documents were produced.

Aiden Nichols, who had been an expert stair-builder, was a highly respected citizen of Aurora. He had lived in that town since 1878, and had never married. All this time Judge Stark had known him intimately, and had heard him speak, always in terms of affection, of his sister and his relatives with whom he had parted years ago back in New England. Shortly before his death he had talked of coming east again to see his sister. And 29 years ago Judge Stark had even drawn up a will for him, later destroyed, in which he provided for a brother, now deceased, and Mrs. Gary. But when Mr. Nichols died suddenly, last December, at the age of 72, these names had passed from Judge Stark's memory.

Shunned Women—Never Wrote  
"Mr. Nichols was by no means a hermit," said Judge Stark. "But I never knew him to seek the society of a woman after he came to Aurora. And there is one explanation I think, for this, and for the fact that he never wrote letters."

"We learned that during his six years residence at Lincoln, Ill., he became engaged to a woman who was killed in an accident, about 1889. Shortly before he had written home to a brother, I think, but he never wrote after that."

Once the war records provided a clue, Mr. Nichols' career was traced from the day he left Boston, through his wandering across the continent. First he lived near Winona, Minn., then at Garnett, Kan., Lincoln, Ill., and Red Oak, Ia., and was in California for some time before he finally settled in Aurora.

Judge Stark had taken charge of the burial. The local chapter of the G. A. R. attended the funeral and draped a flag over the casket. In the veteran's hand was placed a small silk flag given by the Ladies of the G. A. R.

Action By Nebraska  
Then, in the apparent absence of heirs, the state of Nebraska began its action for the estate, which comprised between 200 and 300 acres, valued at \$150 an acre, and \$15,000 in securities. Meanwhile, however, the activity of a Nebraska congressman had discovered from the bureau of pensions that Nichols was born in Lowell, Mass., in 1844, and had lived in Boston and New London, N. H. Then Attorney Nelson Tunnicliffe of New York became interested in the case, and the missing relative was soon located.

The Massachusetts records showed that when Nichols enlisted he was a minor and an orphan, and had to get permission from his guardian, a man named McCoy. A brother of Mr. Nichols, now dead, married a daughter of McCoy, and was the father of Bertram H. Nichols. Then followed the discovery of Mrs. Gary, and Mr. Tunnicliffe put in a claim on the estate for the two. The visit of Judge Stark and his conviction that Nichols and Mrs. Gary were the lawful heirs followed.

## DAILY BAY STATE HEARINGS

Public Service Commission So Decides—Feustel Cross-Examination Nears Its End

BOSTON, May 13.—The public service commission will give hearings daily next week on the Bay State railway petition for the right to charge 6-cent fares. This decision was reached yesterday, as Attorney Wadleigh, for the restraints, expects to conclude his cross-questioning of Robert M. Feustel, the Bay State's expert engineer, by Monday. Yesterday's session of the hearing ended in a disagreement between counsel and members of the commission as to the manner of proceeding with the cross-examination of Mr. Feustel and the presentation of the restraints' case.

NOTICE  
CITY OF LOWELL

Assessors Office, City Hall, April 1st, 1916.

## TAX PAYERS

You are hereby notified to file at the office of the Board of Assessors sworn returns of property, real and personal, subject to taxation on or before 4 o'clock P. M., Monday, May 15th, 1916.

Per Order Board of Assessors,  
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DANIEL E. HOGAN.

## INDUSTRIAL AND STORE NEWS

Routine meetings were held last night by the Bricklayers' union and Municipal Employees' union at their respective headquarters in Middle street.

A spindle drive mechanism for spinning, twisting and like machines has been invented by Albert W. Thompson of this city. He has had the device patented and assigned to the Saco-Loell shops.

Work has been started by the Bligh-Hartford Carpet Co. at Clinton on extensive additions to its plant, permission for the closing of which was obtained from the Clinton authorities some time ago.

Tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock in Trades & Labor hall a meeting for Polish speakers will be held. Two Polish and Lithuanian speakers have been secured by the committee in charge of the meeting.

The opening of the U. S. Cartridge Co. Baseball league will be held on Monday afternoon but the parade and other features planned for the opening date have been dispensed with for the time being.

A meeting of the International Brotherhood of Stationary Firemen was held in Trades & Labor hall on Thursday evening, at which a list of routine business was transacted. Several applications for membership were received and turned over to the investigating committee. The next meeting of the organization will be held on Sunday afternoon, May 25, at 32 Middle street.

Industrial Preparedness  
These are momentous times and the captains of the textile industry and their overseers never were so alert as

now. The pleas for industrial preparedness are being heard everywhere. Textile association after association has sounded a deep warning note and now comes into the list the National Association of Woollen and Worsted Overseers. Its industrial preparedness committee, appointed at the November meeting, met last Friday and has already drawn up the set of resolutions which are to be presented at the May meeting at Rocky Point, R. I.

Overseers like the captains of the textile industry, have come to keenly realize that they are face to face with the serious crisis that is pending with the ending of the terrible conflict of arms now raging in Europe. The devastations of the foreign countries at war, with their lower plane of living incident to a lower wage scale, is a sure forerunner of the destruction of the earning power of American textile workers, if no provisions are made row to offset the tremendous amount of low priced foreign goods that will inevitably be piled into this country in competition with domestic products.

It is furthermore, keenly and universally realized that every yard of foreign goods sold here after the war under the present tariff conditions will mean that one operative after another will quickly have his livelihood cut from under him as the avalanche of foreign goods begins to slide into the United States.

We are a nation of people who have established the highest plane of living in the world. We are a nation of people who are enjoying the things of life that are a luxury to our neighbors across the ocean. Shall we stand by and see those standards of living lowered and bring ourselves down to wages and living conditions prevalent



in Europe. The answer is easily, no! But nothing of moment can be accomplished unless every mill man puts his shoulder to the wheel to help block such a competition. For that reason every member of the association should make strenuous efforts to attend the May meeting and by a record attendance convince our national legislators that the time has come to solidly protect from the low wage competition of the world our textile industry.

ARRESTED TO SAVE LYNCHING  
MACHIAS, Me., May 13.—A near lynching in the outskirts of this little town has stirred the residents to such excitement that Sheriff S. E. Woodman yesterday caused the arrest of four people, in order that they

might be protected from further threatened rough handling. Some 20 of Machias' male residents seized Ernest Hanson, clerk in the Machias postoffice, and took him out along the railroad line and only his fervent promises to behave in the future saved him from serious harm. The victim is married and has a wife and two children.

EX-BANK HEAD ACQUITTED  
BURLINGTON, Vt., May 13.—George C. Averill, formerly president of the Vermont National bank of Brattleboro, was acquitted last night by a jury in the United States court of making false entries in his accounts. The case has been on trial since May 2. The jury was out something over 10 hours.

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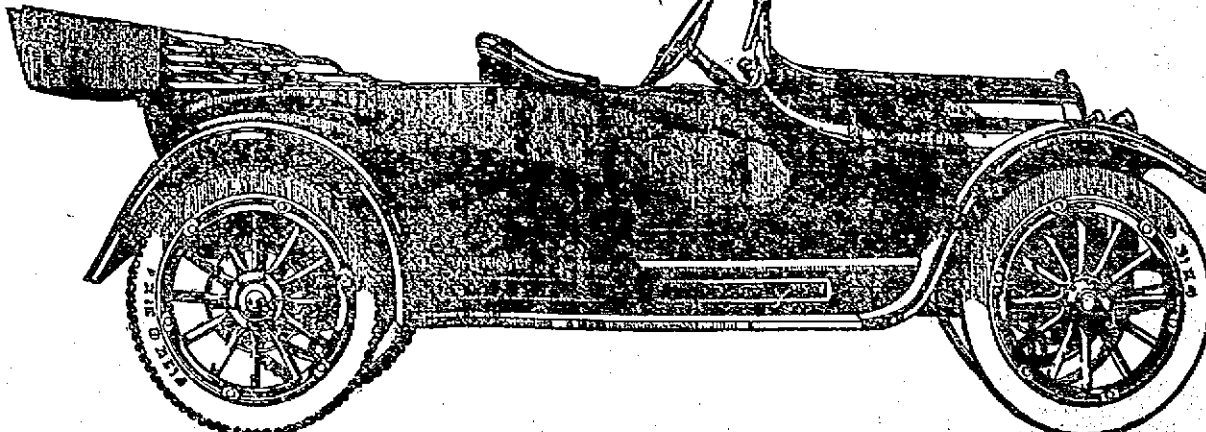
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CIVIL SERVICE EXTENSION

Governor McCall in his inaugural address laid special emphasis on the need for civil service reform in Massachusetts and the legislature is about to pass on house bill 2125, which is said to be for the "extension and improvement of the merit system." If this bill is not made a political weapon or availed of for partisan purposes, there is nothing in it that cannot be supported by all persons and parties who really desire to improve the character of the public service and to make personal fitness rather than political affiliation the determining factor in selecting persons for the classified service. One of the first provisions of the bill gives the civil service commission power to "investigate the conduct and efficiency of any person in the classified service and to recommend his removal or make any other fitting recommendation," but this power should be availed of prudently, justly and sparingly, otherwise all the other provisions shall avail little. In the past the high ideal of the civil service has been used to cover very low motives, and any tampering with the civil service for political purposes, by any party, will awaken a swift reaction.

Assuming that the bill is designed in all sincerity—and there is nothing to make one think otherwise as yet—it would prove beneficial to the public service of the commonwealth. It would raise the standard of the personnel and it would make for fairness in appointments. A follow-up system is provided for whereby standards of efficiency may be maintained after entrance to the service; work and salaries would be standardized so that those doing the same work may receive the same pay; inefficient employees would be unable to claim immunity and efficient employees would be given an incentive to effort; examinations would be made more in accordance with the needs of the positions and promotion examinations would be standardized.

The bill also provides for the extension of the civil service law to county positions with the exception of deputy sheriffs and keepers of jails, the justices of the court and all officers and employees appointed by them or whose appointment is subject to confirmation by them. The civil service law has been extended to the 17 largest counties in New York, to 5 counties in New Jersey and to counties in California and the middle west.

An ambitious section of the proposed law would even place the heads of principal municipal departments under the civil service. Upon petition of 300 registered voters a referendum vote may be taken at any municipal election as to whether all or certain specified heads of principal departments shall be classified. If the city fails to classify such positions, the question of their inclusion shall not be voted upon again for the next two years. This is in line with the city manager idea and it is pointed out that in Massachusetts 20 out of 32 cities voted to extend the civil service law to the chiefs of police at the state election in 1911. Many of the cities that failed to classify the chiefs of police have since sought to do so by special legislation, and bills are introduced in the legislature each year to extend the civil service to this or that head of a department. The proposed law would do away with the necessity for passing special legislation for separate cases. We may not be ready for the full extension of the civil service classification as yet, but the tendency of the times is surely in that direction. The one great evil to be guarded against is the fastening of incompetent men upon the public service in a manner that would make them practically irremovable.

PREMIER ASQUITH'S MISSION

Premier Asquith has an opportunity to restore peace in Ireland now that he is in Dublin. The first thing to be done is to stop the cruel and unnecessary military executions; the second, to withdraw martial law from the country; and the third, to order the home rule act put into effect as soon as possible, which would be about next September.

The execution of James Connolly yesterday, apparently after Premier Asquith had promised to stop such tragedies, adds to the horrors that have already shocked the country. It is not the world.

Hon. John Dillon was stirred to his old time wrath in denunciation of the government responsible for these outrages and in his scathing assault he voiced the sentiments of the country, for no matter how grievously the men had been mistaken in the uprising, nobody wanted to see them made the victims of the military firing squad. The authorities seem to have lost their heads completely in this Dublin revolt. The fact that Germany had co-operated with the rebels seems to have incensed the British officials to such an extent that they could not wait even for the formalities of court-martial proceedings. Had not the government shown such indifference to the treasonable threats of the Carsonites before the home rule bill was passed, the cruelty of its present executions would not be so utterly odious and horrifying.

ING IN THE EYES OF THE WORLD. BUT THE contrast is too glaring.

Premier Asquith has proved himself a true friend of Ireland in the past. He has held office for five years longer than he would have done but for his determination to see the home rule measure put into effect. Having done so much in the past, it is hoped that he will perform another of his political coups by restoring peace in Ireland. This can be done only as we have pointed out. The opening of a real Irish parliament would pacify Ireland but nothing else can do so at the present time. The home rule act is to take effect automatically at the end of the war but should Mr. Asquith put it into operation at once he would have accomplished more to pacify Ireland than could a large army with a thousand firing squads.

Should Mr. Carson in this emergency still stand out against the opening of the Irish parliament and should the government allow him thus to exercise a veto power over the rights of the nation, then all recruiting would stop and there would spread over the land a disaffection and a spirit of revolt beside which the Sinn Féin uprising would not be a circumstance. It is hoped that Premier Asquith will avert such a calamity by overriding the Ulster narrowness.

CRUELTY TO ANIMALS

The arrest and conviction of persons found guilty of cruelty to animals serves a good purpose in warning all citizens of their duty towards dumb creatures. It is especially apropos at the commencement of the warm season because it is at this time that most offences of the kind occur. Unfortunately the humane society or the society for the prevention of cruelty to animals do not discover the great majority of cases, but they are justified in appealing to the law whenever flagrant disregard of what we owe to animals crops out. It is not alone in their treatment of cows and horses that many show brutality but in their treatment of the lesser animals. People have been known to shut up their houses for the summer and to go to beaches, leaving their domestic pets to be fed by the neighbors, and many would show greater mercy by taking their dogs to the gas box than by treating them as they do. The lesson of the Ancient Mariner that "he prayeth best who loveth best all things both great and small" ought to be learned by all who own animals, and where it is disregarded, the law should step in.

ARMED INTERVENTION?

After reviewing the course of Mexican developments since the raid of Villa that called forth the punitive expedition, it is hard to escape the conviction that this country is surely drifting towards armed intervention in Mexico. How else may order be restored? We have tried vainly to co-operate with the nominal power in Mexico; we have treated all responsible leaders with the greatest courtesy and consideration; we have shown our determination to keep our hands off domestic Mexican matters and have shown only a desire to restore order as much for the sake of Mexico as for our own. Yet, we have failed to accomplish anything, and Carranza now demands that we get out of Mexico with our mission unfulfilled. After two weeks of discussion, Oregon and Scott have failed to agree and mean-

THE CONQUEROR-IN-CHIEF

It was at an evening party and Dodge asked Keller: "What is that impressive-looking woman over there?" "That's Mrs. Moore," was the reply. She's a remarkably strong-minded woman. It is said she commands a large salary. "Indeed," said Dodge, reflectively, as he looked at the woman with interest, "she must be earning it." "She doesn't earn it," said Keller. "Her husband earns it, and she commands it."

Wouldn't It Be Grand  
The poet and his wife were examining the poem inscription in the museum, according to a member of the Boston Authors' club. "Oh, dear!" sighed the wife, "I wish we lived in the days when literary men used clay tablets instead of writing paper!" "What makes you say that?" asked her husband. "Why, don't you see, dearie, if all your ejected manuscripts were bricks what an elegant house we could build?"

Pat Murphy's Version  
It had been a very successful mission and on the closing night the priest preached a powerful sermon on "Judgment Day." Next day he was accosted by Pat Murphy. "Father," said he, "that was a fine sermon you gave on judgment day. I was back pretty well in the church and I was afraid I might have missed a bit of it. I want to ask you, father, what the Germans, French, English, Italians and Russians be there?" "They will indeed," said the good priest. "And will the Irish be there, too, father?" queried Pat. "Of course they will," said the priest, whereupon Pat immediately gave as his opinion that there "wouldn't be much judging on the forty day."

"To the Fellow Who Will Take My Place When I Am Gone"  
Here is a toast that I want to drink to a fellow who never knew me. To the fellow who's going to take my place when it's time for me to go. I've wondered what kind of a chap he'll be. I've wished I could take his hand. Just to whisper, "I wish you well, old man, in a way that he'd understand. I'd like to give the cheering word that I've longed at times to hear; I'd like to give him the warm hand-clasp when never a friend seems near. I've learned my knowledge by sheer hard work, and I wish I could pass it on. To the fellow who'll come to take my place some day when I am gone. Will he see all the sad mistakes I've made and note all the battles lost? Will he ever guess of the tears they caused of the heartaches which they cost? Will he gaze through the failures and fruitless toil to the underlying plan. And catch a glimpse of the real intent and the heart of the vanquished man? I dare to hope he may pause some day to see how I got my work wrought. And gain some strength from his weary task from the battles which I have fought. But I've only the task itself to leave with the care for him to do. And never a cheering word may speak to the fellow who'll take my place.

Then here's to your health, old chap! I drink as a bridegroom to his bride. I leave an unfinished task for you, but God knows how I tried. I've dreamed my dreams, as all men do, but never a one came true. And my prayer today is that all the dreams and hopes of my life may be yours. And well intend some day in the great unknown—out in the realm of space; You'll know my clasp as I take your hand and gaze in your true face. Then all failures will be success in the light of the new-found dawn. So I'm drinking your health, old chap, who'll take my place when I am gone. —Selected.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE  
A supplementary season of extraordinary interest to lovers of the finest of art films will be opened at the B. F. Keith theatre on Monday, and for the first three days of the week Billie Burke, the noted star, will be seen in the delightful play, "Peggy," a Triangle feature film which has been conceded to be one of the most perfect photographs picture plays ever put before the public in addition to the Triangle-Keystone comedy, "Fanny and Mabel Adrift," in which Roscoe Arbuckle and Mabel Normand will appear, and the funny "Mutt and Jeff" picture, "In the Aeroplane," together with shorter pictures, will be offered. For the concluding three days of the week, the theatre will offer the greatest character actor, who will appear in the Triangle picture, "The Coward," and Arbuckle and Normand will offer "His Last Laugh." This is a splendid picture fare, as will be attested to by all who are "in the know." The stage of the theatre will be specially decorated with potted plants during the season, and an orchestra will play for all performances. The prices will be five, ten and 15 cents for both afternoons and evenings, with the lower balcony 10 cents and the upper theatre five cents.

One of the features of the Incredible Triangle play, "Peggy" is its group of scenes in Fairyland, Billie Burke, who is the star of the play, starts out to tell a group of children a fairy tale. She has been tinkering on her automobile and is in overalls. As she sits on a running board, she holds one foot on her knee, the other on the perch alongside, or behind her. As heroine of her own fairy story, Miss Burke is then shown tripping through the moonlight. First she meets a bevy of gnomes, with grotesque faces and forms, and then she finds herself in an assemblage of bugs, one of which is a fairy prince. She hears the pathetic tale of the erstwhile prince who is now king of the bugs. Then Peggy hies to a wise old goat and procures from him some magic water. She scatters over the bug-king and he becomes the fairy prince once more and gratefully offers his hand and heart to the pretty maiden. The witch, sorely vexed, swells up till she can no more leave her narrow-doored house. A startling bit of photography is that in which Peggy throws the magic water on the bug. "Presto!" up stands the prince—a startling transformation.

"Fanny and Mabel Adrift," Roscoe Arbuckle, a farmer boy, is in love with his employer's daughter, Mabel Normand. Al St. John is a rival for Mabel's hand, and is enraged at Fanny. He swears vengeance, too, and when Fanny and Mabel go on their honeymoon their cottage is engulfed by a fire. The play is funny, but not until after a series of funny situations, "The Mutt and Jeff" cartoon, "In an Aeroplane" is also said to be in Fanny's best vein. There will be several other pictures shown during the first three days of the week.

Tomorrow afternoon and evening the last Sunday concert of the season will be held, although during the picture season a special array of subjects will be shown. Anna Chandler will be the headliner tomorrow.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE  
Strolling amid the verdure and rich foliage of Cuba, Clara Kimball Young appears in the five act feature production, "The Feast of Life" at the Merrimack Square theatre. She impersonates the role of a beautiful Cuban maid who is forced into a loveless marriage. The play is enjoyable in every detail, and those who wish to see her in this masterpiece will have to attend one of the performances at this theatre today for this is the last day for her appearance in this play. This is likewise the final day of the appearance of Valentine Grant in the five act photo-play of an Irish girl, "The Innocent Lie." The intensely amusing Charlie Chaplin comedy, "Shanghai," will also be shown today as well as the other interesting pictures on the program for the last three days of this week. One of the big numbers on the program of the splendid Sunday concert at this theatre tomorrow afternoon and evening is "The Sorrows of Happiness," a thrilling play featuring the adorable June Daye. The plot of this play is very different from that of any other picture ever shown here and is even more interesting and entertaining than the last Sunday concert. It is a large number of other excellent photoplays to make up this big Sunday concert which continues without intermission until ten o'clock in the evening.

OWL THEATRE  
Holbrook Blinn and Vivian Martin will again be in at the Owl theatre today in the stirring five-act photoplay, "The Butterfly on the Wheel." Telling a powerful story of society life, this film is one which is bound to please. Other excellent attractions will also be presented at the Owl today.

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HIGHLY INTERESTING PAMPHLET  
DISTRIBUTED BY DR. MOSES G. PARKER  
Dr. Moses G. Parker has sent out to the office heads of all the schools in this city and to the libraries of Lowell and surrounding towns copies of a pamphlet on the "Origin and Evolution of the United States Flag," by R. C. Ballard Thurston, and authorized by the American Revolution of the Sons of the American Revolution. The addresses are as follows:  
Cyrus W. Irish, Lowell high school; John J. Mahoney, Lowell Normal school; Henry H. Harris, Varnum school; Thomas F. Fisher, Lowell Vocational school; Miss Helen K. Sheehan, Coburn school; James H. Meilen, Lincoln school; William P. Barry, Pawtucket school; William Bennett, Charles W. Mercey school; Leo H. King, Edison school; Cornelius Callahan, Butler school; William S. Greene, Moody school; Herbert D. Elby, Bartlett school; John E. Barry, Washington school; Arthur K. Whitcomb, Green-haire school; Paul L. Perkins, Green school; Charles F. Eames, Lowell Textile school; Brother Osmund, St. Patrick's parochial school; Sister Superior, Immaculate Conception parochial school; Sister Superior, St. Peter's parochial school; Lowell City Library; Dracut Library; Adams Library; Chelsea; Bennett Library; Billerica; Hills; Library, Hudson, N. H.; Tyngsboro Library.  
The pamphlet has a great many pictures of flags from the earliest days of the republic with all the changes down to the present time. The flag has now eight rows of stars with six in each row.  
The pamphlet will be very valuable to the schools as showing the various changes in the U. S. flag and what was used for a flag by some of the states and by some military units in revolutionary days.  
If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

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# SUN REAL ESTATE AND BUILDERS' PAGE

## REAL ESTATE OPERATIONS

**Skilled Help is Scarce—All Building Trades Busy—Real Estate Record for Past Week**

Building operations are rushing in this city, although the frost is barely out of the ground, and it is predicted that this summer will be one of the busiest for a long time in this particular line of work. Numerous new buildings have been started in the city during the past few weeks, while many land owners are contemplating erecting dwelling houses. There seems to be a hitch, however, to the construction and that is the lack of skilled help. Most of the craftsmen in the building line are busy and although a higher price is being paid to carpenters and masons than in previous years, good men without employment are scarce.

Francis A. Connor, inspector of public buildings, has made up his mind not to grant any permit for the construction of buildings with bay windows extending over three feet over the sidewalk, and during the past week several permits have been refused on these grounds.

A two-tenement house is being constructed at 461-463 High street for Alice L. McCann. The building will be 28 by 30 feet, two and one-half stories in height and the estimated cost is \$3700.

Philip Cohen, owner of the property at 386-400 Broadway, is converting the building into a three-story building with a flat roof. Two stores will be located on the ground floor, while the second story will consist of two tenements, one of eight rooms and another of six rooms. On the third story will be two four room and one six room tenements. The cost of remodeling the building will be about \$5000.

Francis A. Abotey is making considerable alterations to his property numbered 75-80 Adams street. The building is now three stories in height. The two top stories will be demolished and rebuilt. Two bay windows and piazzas will be added and the cost of the changes will be about \$4500.

Rose Rourke has made plans for the erection of a cottage of eight rooms at 71 Woburn street. The house will be two stories in height, 24 by 31 feet, and will cost about \$2500.

A fireproof garage is being erected by the American Hide & Leather Co. adjacent its plant in Perry street. The walls of the garage will be of brick and the foundation of concrete. The cost is estimated at \$2300.

Eugene Mercler has made arrangements to build a bakery near his home in West Centralville. The new building will be 57 feet long with an ell 23 feet 6 inches by 10½ feet, and will be erected at 81 Farmland road at a cost of \$2000.

Work has been started on the conversion of a piazza into a sun room with plate glass enclosure at the residence of A. G. Pollard at the corner of Mansur street and Belmont avenue. The cost of the change will be about \$500.

Winslow B. Clark is building a garage with a concrete foundation at 71 Holyrood avenue at a cost of \$350.

The large place occupied formerly by the Theatre Vovons in Central street will soon be converted into a large store. The place is owned by Thomas

F. Hennessy and he estimates the cost of the changes at about \$300.

Dr. Adelard Payette, who owns considerable property in James street has recently purchased a cottage and a large piece of land in the same street and he is now converting the cottage into a three-tenement house, while on the vacant land he will erect a similar building.

Dr. Samuel Patenaude is contemplating the idea of erecting a number of cottages on Litchfield terrace, off Walker street, and he hopes to start on the work within a few weeks.

The store formerly occupied by Elias Blonopolis at 19 Cross street, was abandoned a few days ago and the owner of the property has made plans to convert the store into two rooms for the adjoining tenement at a cost of about \$100.

W. J. Dudley has started the construction of a garage at 24 Court street at a cost of \$100.

An addition is being built to the plant of the A. L. Brooks Co. at 599 Dutton street. The addition will consist of one story eight feet in height by 14 feet in width and will cost about \$200.

Eugene A. Fournier is erecting a garage at 68 Acton street at a cost of \$50.

Frederick Butterfield is constructing a piazza seven feet by 18 feet at his building at 201 West Meadow road.

Winnifred Bartlett is building an addition to his building numbered 307 Beacon street.

A double piazza is being constructed at the building numbered 4 Hildreth street and owned by Matthew and Sarah James.

A bathroom and a rear entrance are being added to the building owned by John Leith at 242 Hildreth street.

W. Emord of 327 Walker street is building an addition to his piazza.

Demetrius Bardonis is having a wagon shed constructed in the rear of 152 Willard street.

A stairway is being placed in the rear of the building owned by J. M. & L. M. Spurr at 370 Westford street.

A piazza will be built on the building at 17 Osgood street and owned by F. W. Ireland.

### REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

For the Week Ending May 13, 1916

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Mary Jane New est. by admr. d.b.n. to John Mamalis, land and buildings on Market street.

Patrick J. McCarthy est. by admr. d.b.n. to John Mamalis, land and buildings on Market street.

Charles H. McCarthy est. by admr. d.b.n. to John Mamalis, land and buildings on Market street.

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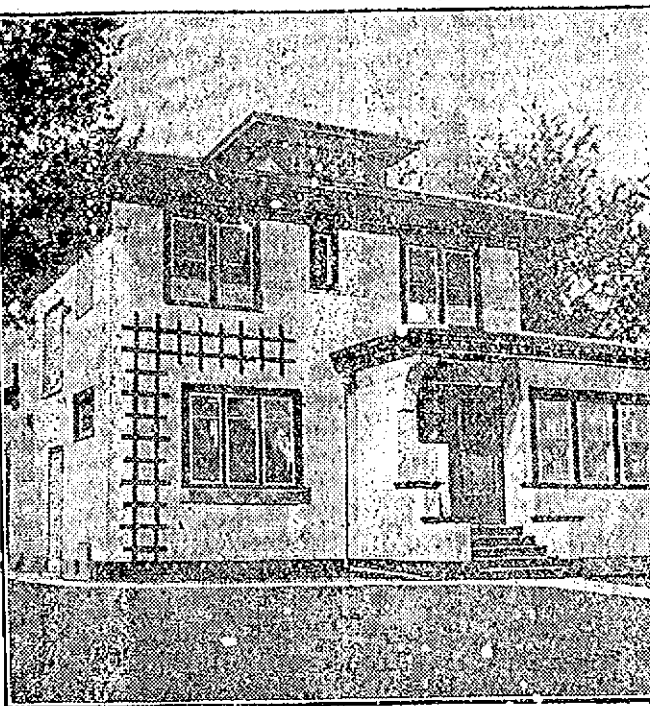
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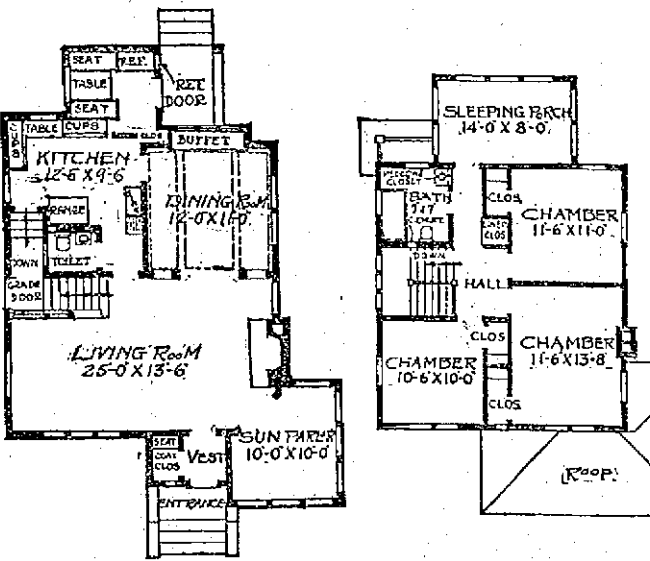
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## NEW STYLE OF STUCCO EXTERIOR



PERSPECTIVE VIEW—FROM A PHOTOGRAPH



FIRST FLOOR PLAN SECOND FLOOR PLAN

The main new features in this plan are the brick water table, the pure white cement exterior, with the dark trimmings; the lattice at the corner for climbing vines and flower box at the front living room window. The rear porch is connected with the living room by French doors. Toilet under the stairs; built-in cupboards in the kitchen; also nook, where breakfast can be served. In the second story are three chambers, ample closet space, bath, sleeping porch and linen closet. Size, 26 feet wide by 25 feet deep, second story, 8 feet; basement, 7 feet in the clear. First story to be finished with oak or maple floors; second story, pine to paint or birch, with birch or maple floors. Cost to build, exclusive of heating and plumbing, about \$4000.

ence E. Stevens et al., land and buildings on Stevens and South Wilder streets.

Elizabeth F. Ryan to Michael O'Dea, land and buildings corner Lawrence street and passageway.

Mary E. Cushing to Angeline Cushing, land and buildings on Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets.

Frank J. Van Greenberg to Max Cobb, et al., land and buildings on Washington street.

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George C. Hatch et al. to Margaret A. Sarre, land and buildings on Wilder street.

Edward R. Grant et al. to Elmore R. Grant, land and buildings on McKinley avenue.

James H. McDermott to Samuel Kough, land on Central and Hudson streets.

Richard J. Welch et al. to Katherine F. Martin, land and buildings on Andover street.

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Augustine N. Dooley to William H. Bugeon, et al., land and buildings corner Middlesex and King streets.

Etha M. Smith to Michael M. Qualey, land corner Branch street and passageway.

William B. Moffatt to Gustaf Emil Ahlberg, land on Daniels street.

Thomas Whitworth et al. to Austin Lyddy, land on Second street.

Alice Blinney to John J. Cronin, land and buildings on Floyd street.

Henry E. Fox et al. to Roswell S. Fox, et al., land and buildings on Elm, Humphrey, Utica and Willard streets and Shawmut avenue.

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That Jimmie was on the short list again.

That the "end seat hog" is with us again.

That Mayor O'Donnell is his own chauffeur.

That Pete declined an invitation to the white party.

That Connie Cronin is still on the job at city hall.

That the amateur farmers in Lowell are numerous.

That the good old summer time is right at our door.

That big trucks are becoming very popular in Lowell.

That the battle wages warm for Martin Conley's job.

That the vacation days are drawing near. How's the wallet?

That economy has nothing to do with the brevity of dress.

That Newell says Charlie's next water bill will be a corker.

That honest men suffer for the dishonest in all walks of life.

That the deer seem to take kindly to their new home at Fort Hill.

That Lowell was well represented at the opening game in Boston.

That it isn't always fair weather when two autos come together.

That Owen says these are good evenings for a walk and a talk.

That no quarter should be shown the loafer in Lowell these days.

That the scene from the tenth story is most picturesque these days.

That the fans all seem to think Lowell has a good baseball team.

That asking a bartender to drink is like taking apples to an orchard.

That men who will throw stones at a squirrel ought to be locked up.

That one member of the school committee would rather fish than eat.

That the builders of the Chelmsford street bridge are getting a move on.

That the average man can be as useful as he wants to make himself.

That the downright horse lover hasn't much use for the automobile.

That some of the local millmen would like to get a peep into Mexico.

That the fellow who burns coal next winter will have to get an increase in pay.

That at least one of our aldermen is to be pitted for the advice he takes.

That the rowdies seem to have the upper hand of the cops in some districts.

That only the witnesses in the case attended the Pinder hearing on Wednesday.

That the average fellow we meet is just as happy as if he were in his right mind.

That "youth must have its fling" is true today than ever and the "fling" seems greater.

That Commissioner Putnam wants to be shown where that 500,000 gallons of water is going.

That Abe says the hardest thing in the world to overcome is an appetite for cross words.

That the "Man in the Moon" is soon to go up into New Hampshire on another fishing trip.

That certain ones are looking for new names to appear on the water department payroll.

That there are good men in all parties. Even the republican party can boast of a few.

That the president and secretary of the Lowell Fish and Game association are real live wires.

That the Lowell Driving club is preparing an elaborate schedule for the summer months.

That the pledged delegates are going to wait till the New Year before making new pledges.

That Edmund now allows the other fellow can "trim" him at pool; or course there is a reason.

That when it comes to a show down the fellow who does his own thinking is the fellow worth while.

That the "traffic officer" at Merrimack square last Sunday did not remain on the job very long.

That however willing the heart may be to bespeak a car for a friend it is not always a pleasant duty.

That the average tax rate of the no-license cities of Massachusetts is lower than that of the license cities.

That old man Job had nothing on City Messenger Owen Monahan; neither for patience, nor for bolts.

That Traffic Officer Sheridan is the man of the hour at the junction of Central and Merrimack streets.

That Clement is sampling a new brand of cigarette and he is passing them around to his friends, too.

That Middlesex street, which has been an excruciator for a long time, will soon become the pride of Lowell.

That the hardest fellow in the world to understand is the fellow who doesn't want himself understood.

That George Enright has been reading the Quarter of a century column and is going to raise pigs himself.

That the Depot Cash Market must move and that good bargains for campers are offered at their sale.

That the parishioners of St. Louis church are endeavoring to pay for their new church before it is built.

That the man who is sure of some knowledge is never ashamed to admit that there are things he doesn't know.

That a well known young lady lost her headpiece when she was crossing the Aiken street bridge last Thursday.

city planning board is not favorable to the latter.

That while one hears much about the Busy Boy, who head the Lowell board of trade.

That some men are tipped off when hearing the brink of their appropriation while others are allowed to go over the falls.

That Simon B. Harris hopes to live long enough to see the Merrimack river fairly teeming with salmon, as in days of yore.

That several letters sent to Canada containing money within the last few weeks are said not to have reached their destination.

That Henry is wondering why Geo. Bean says "Bless be the Fish" and "Bless be the Fish" he went to Haverhill last Sunday.

That a newspaper will soon be published in Pawtucketville, and later the Oaklands, Highlands and Belviders will follow suit.

That a large number of people are going to enjoy the second in the series of May parties at the Highland club next Wednesday evening.

That some 200 uniformed men of the French-American Volunteer brigade will spend the day and their money in Lowell on Memorial day.

That the idea of nipping the clock all around the city, Commissioner Donnelly's famous Scotch song: "It's nice to get up in the mornin' but it's nicer to lie in your bed."

That they have changed the words of the old song and it now goes "Thee's should be men and women for the wearin' of the green."

That a glance at the personnel of our new business men's battalion will cause any friendly soul to pray that there'll be no long hikes.

That Lucy Lincoln park, barring some of its habits, is well worth looking at, as the result of the artistic work of the park department.

That the committee on waterways will have a big bill for stationery at the end of the year. Here's hoping the committee will not exceed its appropriation.

That some of the Lowell boys in the French trenches seem to enjoy life immensely, if one is to judge by the type of letters some of them are sending to their homes.

That while everybody is talking about pushing the clock ahead, somebody evidently has pushed the calendar back two months, and again we're in blustery March.

That as long as that flag at Spalding park was hoisted down by a retired regular army sergeant there was no harm done, and the superstitious fans may breathe easy.

That if the fishing stories told by "The Man in the Moon" be true he must be some fisherman. All his big catches have been in New Hampshire where fish markets abound.

That some people think Owen Monahan is the best politician at city hall. One who holds that position is the champion. They are both past masters of the Glad Hand club.

That between the Huntington hall fund; the 800,000 paving blocks (latest figures) and the 500,000 gallons of water, Lowell's municipal lost column is assuming prodigious proportions.

That the game of "bridge" is enjoying unprecedented popularity in this city, for the city of Lowell, the Boston & Maine and the Pawtucketville Improvement association are all taking a hand at it.

That the historical sketches prepared by the National Geographic society of Washington in connection with the countries at war and appearing in The Sun from time to time are mighty interesting.

That when Officer Page of city hall made one of his semi-occasional visits to the police station, Wednesday afternoon, some of the superiors thought he was an out-of-town cop who had strayed from the fold.

That Spire Farley has resolved himself into what a member of the old common council once called a committee on "audiences and legislation," having been employed to revise and codify the city's ordinances; a work that has been badly needed for many years.

That those who attended the meeting of the historical society at city hall Wednesday evening were well repaid for Mrs. Griffin's paper on the tragic romance of the Indian Princess Weetamoo was a beautiful and touching story, admirably written and delivered.

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St. Thomas, which lies only 40 miles east of Porto Rico, was of time the chief distributing center of West Indian trade, its importance being directly attributable to the fact

that the mother country, Denmark, maintained its neutrality during the numerous European wars of the eighteenth century. The temporary occupation of the island by the British during several periods of the Napoleonic wars added further to the importance of the chief port, Charlotte Amalie, where merchant vessels rode at anchor in the magnificent harbor and harbor while waiting for convoys to bring them on the voyage across the Atlantic. This town, with a population of less than 10,000, mainly negroes, is still an important coaling station for steamers in the West Indian trade. With a depth of from 27 to 36 feet of water, the roadstead can accommodate the largest merchant ships which sail these seas. The export and import trade has become negligible since the rapid decline of the sugar industry which the Danish government has tried in vain to revive by granting annual subsidies.

John, least important of the islands, lying four miles to the east of St. Thomas, has an area of 21 square miles. It is scarcely more than a 10-mile mountain ridge with but one distinguishing feature, Coral Bay, the best harbor of refuge in the Antilles. Prunbury, a village of one thousand inhabitants on the northern shore, is the center of population.

Howard street, and Beekle Schankman, 20, inspector, same address.

Peter Lopata (widow), 30, weaver, 41 West L street, and Katerina Chyz (widow), 27, weaver, 165 Fayette street.

Joseph H. Brouillette, 24, Cartridge shop, 430 Moody street, and Marie Ross Desrosiers, 23, Cartridge shop, 540 Moody street.

John Arcadius Daniels, 25, operative, 156 Cross street, and Dometa A. Arganias, 19, 222 Suffolk street.

Felix Roberts, 27, mechanic, 172 Riverside street, and Maude Janvrin, 23, housekeeper, 19 South Village street.

Philip P. McCarron, 19, grocer, 142 Concord street, and Madeline A. Kennedy, 15, at home, 61 Andrews street.

Ralph Lapinskas, 28, operative, 33 Elm street, and Milina Loucunick, 22, same address.

Nicholas Sarakas, 25, operative, 35 Common street, and Maria Vlahoyannis, 25, operative, 48 Common street.

Henry Haven Robinson, 28, Cartridge company, 37 June street, and Sarah A. Deland, 20, at home, 23 Arthur street.

Frank Polak, 22, operative, 65 Williams street, and Zelle Wisniewska, 10, operative, 56 Williams street.

John F. DeLoe, 20, shoemaker, 145 Gershon avenue, and Grace M. Giroux, 25, hosiery, 161 White street.

Adelard Desrosiers, 27, clerk, 32 Pawtucket street, and Eva Berthelme, 22, altcher, 331 Moody street.

Ivan O. Small, 22, bank bookkeeper, 33 Thirteenth street, and Florence B. Knutson, 25, at home, 23 Eighteenth street.

Bennie Rosler, 24, grocer, 640 Middlesex street, and Dora J. Stone, 26, at home, Dorchester, Mass.

Joseph Adrien Smith, 19, U. S. Cartridge company, 122 Mammoth road, and Marie Bertha Germain, 13, at home, 47 Moody street.

Matvey Siechowicz, 21, operative, 402 Central, and Fiedora Briskov, 20, same address.

John F. DeLoe, 21, clerk, 73 Fletcher street, and Gertrude D. Mason, 31, at home, 10 Fifth street.

Raymond Nadeau, 22, window, 439 Pawtucket street, and Melvior Buission, 18, spoon room, 1 Regina place.

Richard A. Malloy, 23, machinist, 25 New Franklin court, and May C. McCoy, 25, at home, North Chelmsford.

Peter V. J. Mullin, 30, U. S. Navy, 179 Stockpile street, and Eva Brunson, 20, knitter, 653 Lakeview avenue.

Harry Vassilakos, 28, store, 124 Dunbar court, and Katrina Kourkoun, 28, housekeeper, 235 Adams street.

John Feeney, 23, watchman, 259 South street, and Anna Fitzgerald, 24, hosiery, 25 Tyler street.

Paul Bellavance, Jr., 26, toolmaker, 136 Branch street, and Rose Gadd, 20, chocolate packer, Somerville, Mass.

Charles Ashley Craig, 22, knitter, 22, 55 Royal street, and Mary Louise Hamilton, 22, looper, 14 Carlton street.

THE CATHOLIC FEDERATION

LOWELL DELEGATES WILL GO TO ROXBURY TOMORROW WITH THE CHAPLAIN, REV. F. J. MULLIN.

The annual meeting of the Archdiocesan Federation of Catholic Societies will be held Sunday afternoon, May 14, at St. Alphonsus hall, Roxbury, at 3 o'clock. Lowell members of Middlesex county northern district branch will attend, leaving this city on the 12:10 p. m. train. They will be accompanied by the chaplain of the district, Rev. F. J. Mullin of this city. There will be a meeting of the special commission to revise the assessment charges, previous to the general meeting, at which Lowell will be represented by six members.

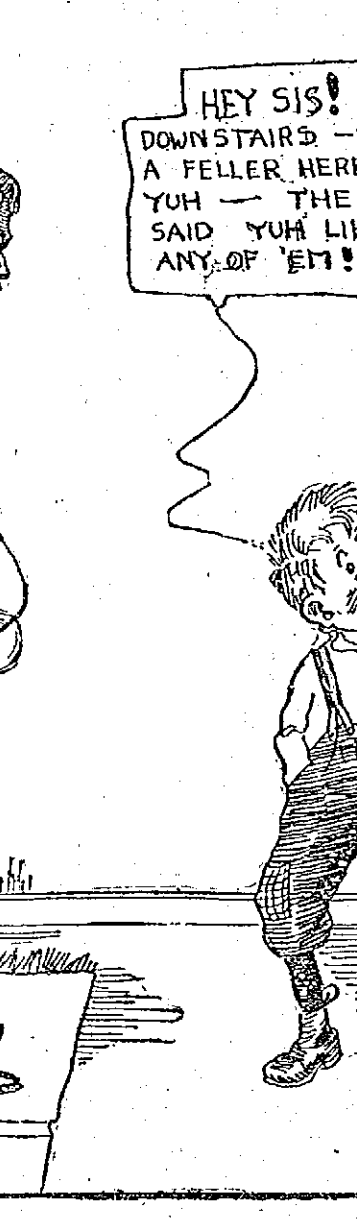
CITY OF LOWELL, May 13, 1916.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Revised Laws, that Max Miller, Jennie Miller, Miller & Co. have applied for a transfer of a license to sell intoxicating liquors, of the first class as Common Victuallers, from No. 35 Middle st., bulkhead on Middle st. and one unnumbered door on City ave., in two rooms on first floor; liquor to be kept, but not sold, in two rooms on first floor and in cellar, to 55 Middle st. and one unnumbered door on City ave., in two rooms on first floor, liquor to be kept, but not sold, in three rooms on first floor and in cellar. By order of the License Commission, JOHN J. MULLANEY, Chairman.

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## PREPAREDNESS PARADE

145,000 Men and Women, With 200 Bands, in Big Demonstration in New York

NEW YORK, May 13.—New York's belief that the nation should prepare for war was expressed today by nearly 145,000 men and women marching in one of the greatest processions ever assembled for the promotion of an idea.

Twenty-five abreast, filling the streets from curb to curb, kneeling in step to the patriotic tunes of 200 bands, the parade that began this morning will last for twelve hours or longer.

Many business houses were closed while the city gave itself up to its celebration of "preparedness day." The sidewalks from the Battery to 50th street, the start and finish of the parade, were crowded and it was estimated that at least one million persons saw the demonstration.

Twenty thousand women were in the parade, wearing blue uniforms, and many of the Spanish war compose the long column. The women were led by twenty justices of the supreme court.

The marchers were divided into six divisions. The first division, the largest, was the 100,000 men. It was expected that the last division would not

## FARMERS' BALL

Very Successful Affair by C.Y.M.L. in Associate Hall Last Night

With Associate hall crowded to the doors the annual "farmers' ball" under the auspices of the C.Y.M.L. was held last evening and the affair like all others conducted by this popular society was a success in every particular.

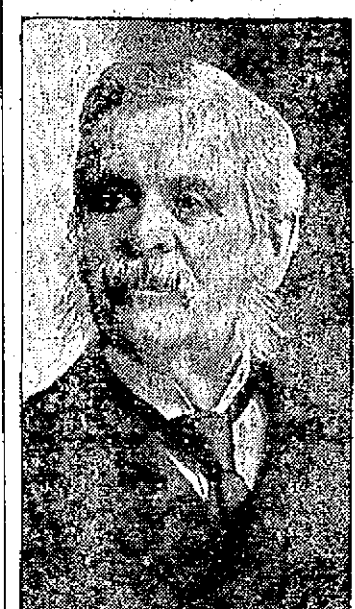
Early in the evening the members and friends who were to participate in the march assembled at the Lyceum rooms on Suffolk street and headed by a "rural" band paraded through the downtown streets. All along the line of march the rubes and their "girls" made a great hit and many were so impressed with the appearance of the parade, and the fine music that they followed the procession to the hall. Upon reaching the hall the boss farmer announced that all was in readiness for the grand march. Head fiddler Charles Miner then struck a starting note and the fun was on. The march was one of the best of the season, and all characters familiar to the farm, and others not so familiar were portrayed. While the various evolutions were being executed the judges were stationed on the stage where they gave all the once over, but so difficult was the task of selecting the winners, that the judges were obliged to keep the paraders going and gave all the double o many times before finally deciding on the successful participants. The awards, included watches and other valuable pieces of jewelry. The winners finally named upon were: First woman's prize, won by Miss Susie Warren; first man's prize, John Miskell; second woman's prize, won by Miss Agnes White; second man's prize, Leo Whelton; third woman's prize, Miss Theresa McDevitt; third man's prize, Ervin Loucraft. The judges were Edward J. Cox, Joseph L. Cronin and William H. Sullivan.

## GRAND OLD MAN

Deacon Langley's Birthday Celebrated at Annual Roll Call

In connection with its roll call of members the First Universalist church, last night, celebrated the 89th birthday anniversary of Deacon Clark M. Langley. The church and Deacon Langley have lived the same number of years and to celebrate his birthday at the annual roll call was decidedly appropriate.

Rev. C. E. Fisher, D.D., called the roll of members and when Deacon Langley's name was called he re-



DEACON CLARK M. LANGLEY

## TWO BOYS KILLED

Met Death Jumping a Ride at Roxbury—Bodies Mangled

BOSTON, May 13.—Two Roxbury boys, Michael Kelley, aged 15, of 988 Columbus avenue, and John V. O'Brien, aged 15, of 6 Kent street, were instantly killed about 8:20 last evening on the New Haven railroad, some 300 feet west of Heath street station, Roxbury. They had just stepped from an outgoing freight train into the path of an incoming passenger train, which struck and mangled them so badly that the Kelley boy was hardly recognizable.

They were of a party of five or six and after the fatal accident some of the other boys rushed from the railroad tracks to Columbus avenue, where they told Patrolman Tripp of the accident. Tripp found the bodies on the roadbed. They were removed to the mortuary.

Conductor James McFarlane of New York, and Engineer Landon of Belmont street, Somerville, did not know that their train killed the boys until when looking the engine over at the South station they noticed blood stains and parts of a human body on the cowcatcher.

From what could be learned, the boys "jumped" the freight train near the bridge over Ruggles street and left it at Heath street. Patrolman McEachern, who is on duty at Roxbury Crossing, saw the boys on the freight as it passed but he was not near enough to drive them off.

The news of the fatal accident spread through Roxbury and soon after it became known, the Roxbury Crossing station was well filled with anxious parents. Among them was Richard Kelley, who was told that his son was killed and pleaded with Lieut. Hennessey and Sergt. Ryan to tell him the names of the dead boys. They had not been identified then and Kelley became hysterical, believing the police were keeping the information away from him.

Later Mr. Kelley and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Doyle, went to the morgue and identified the Kelley boy, the third oldest of eight children.

## EVENTS AT WASHINGTON

Pres. Wilson's Frolic at Circus—New Hampshire Feud Settled by Appointment

Special to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 13.—Talk about a circus? Why we of New England don't know even the rudiments of following a parade! It takes the complete abandonment of a semi-southern city to do justice to the occasion.

Today I reached the capital just as "The greatest show on earth" was passing. Trailing along behind the procession were thousands of men, women and children, both white and black. There are 100,000 negroes in the city of Washington and it is sure every one of them was there, and that with them came most of their kin from just over the Maryland and Virginia lines. Up the broad avenue they swarmed, trotting along at a lively pace behind the elephants and camels to the old tune of "Alexander's Rag Time Band," lustily led by the top of a gorgeous gold circus wagon. They were of all kinds and conditions, from the husky old man and fat mammy in gayest of turbans, to troops of little darlings ranging in color from the arcs of spades to a delicate chocolate. Dressed in their best bib and tuckers, ribbon bedecked or in rag, as the case might be, and with eyes fairly popping out of their little round heads, they tumbled all over each other as they tried to keep up with the procession and see all parts of the parade at once. It was just the same with the "grown-ups." No one in that crowd bothered as to "who is who," all they wanted was to enjoy themselves. And they did.

President Went to Circus

In the evening the president went to the show. He was just "one of the boys." He ate peanuts, drank pink lemonade and had a jolly good time. He laughed at the clowns, fanned himself and Mrs. Wilson with a big palm-leaf fan—for the thermometer was touching 90 degrees in the shade—and watched every move in the three rings. When the presidential party entered the great tent, the crowd rose and cheered. The president wasn't slow in taking advantage of it to show that he expects to be in the thickest of the fight at the coming election, for in passing one of his old time moves he "threw his hat into it" and then the crowd cheered all the more. With him were Mrs. Wilson, Secretary and Mrs. McAdoo and a large party of friends.

Between Hay and Grass

It is "between hay and grass" up at the capital. Most of the pending measures are either still in committee or waiting their turn on the house calendar. The spiny give and take five minute talks that marked the preceding week have been put aside and long debates have taken their place. The crowded galleries of last week are now vacant. Over in the senate, Mr. Kenyon is talking against the rivers and harbors bill with a calm persistence that is suggestive of a filibuster, but which is more likely only an attempt to follow in the footsteps of former Senator Burton as a sort of "watch-dog of the treasury."

New Hampshire Placated

President Wilson used a strong hand to straighten out the democratic factional fight in New Hampshire when he sent to the senate the nomination of former Representative Eugene E. Reed as member of the Philippine commission with headquarters at Manila. The office carries a salary of \$12,500 and "found" in many things, so it is well worth taking. It was given Mr. Reed at the request of Senator Hollis who finds it convenient to place his most bitter political opponent in a snug berth in the middle of the Pacific rather than have his lead an anti-Hollis faction at home. As candidate for congress in 1916 as the New Hampshire member of the democratic national committee and as leader of the anti-Hollis element in the state Mr. Reed would have been a powerful weapon against Hollis' men and methods at the coming election when the campaign waxed hot. Moreover it was not entirely certain that Mr. Reed would be an ardent administration man at the St. Louis convention and during the campaign, for president, without a single exception during Mr. Reed's two years in congress, turned a deaf ear to his recommendations for federal offices and gave Mr. Hollis the absolute control of the New Hampshire patronage. To Mr. Reed's great humiliation and subsequent defeat at the polls.

But now the feud seems ended and the sentiment among New Hampshire men in Washington is that the democratic party of that state will pull together in the coming campaign and defeat at the polls.

## ARRESTED IN LOWELL

BERNARD J. WALSH HELD IN \$1000 AT MANCHESTER ON CHARGE OF BREAKING AND ENTERING

MANCHESTER, N. H., May 13.—Bernard J. Walsh, who was arrested in Lowell, Mass., Thursday for the local police, was arraigned in the municipal court here yesterday, charged with breaking and entering the house of Hector J. LaBonte, 216 Granite street. He is said to have taken goods worth \$55.

Walsh pleaded guilty and was held in \$1000 for the September grand jury. Being unable to procure bail he was lodged in jail.

## HON. JOHN JACOB ROGERS

CONGRESSMAN USES INFLUENCE IN BEHALF OF KNITTING MILLS OF HUDSON

Special to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 13.—Representative Rogers has brought to the attention of the state department the complaint of the Shetland Knitting mills of Hudson, that the Swiss needles required by their machines are held by the French authorities, who will not permit them to pass through that country. The state department will at once take up the matter with the French ambassador, and is hopeful of an early adjustment that will let the needles reach the United States.

McGillivuddy Bill Reported

The house committee on judiciary has made a favorable report on the McGillivuddy bill to pension United States employees injured in performance of duty.

RICHARDS.

## KENWOOD SUNDAY SCHOOL

Rev. Mr. Bedard of St. Louis parish will hold a Sunday school session at the house of Mr. Rivet in Kenwood at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon for the Catholic children in that district.

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## BOY DROWNED IN RIVER

SAD FATALITY IN WHICH CHILD OF THREE YEARS IS VICTIM—ATTEMPTED RESCUE FAILED

While playing on the banks of the Concord river at the foot of Chestnut street yesterday afternoon, John Deiran, aged 3 years, and son of Mr. and Mrs. William Deiran of 79 Devon street, fell into the water and was drowned despite the efforts of a couple of men to save him. The body was recovered late in the afternoon and removed to the funeral parlors of Undertakers Joseph Albert & Son by Allen street and subsequently to the home of the parents.

Shortly after the accident the matter was reported to the police and a couple of officers were sent to the scene, but although they grappled the river they failed to locate the body. It was stated that after the boy fell into the water his playmates, Anthony and Victor Belkos, two little fellows, gave the alarm. A Mr. Rich of the Middlesex Co. and Harry Mosley, superintendent of the plant, jumped into the water and waded out neck high groping out in a fruitless endeavor to save the child.

Shortly before 5 o'clock the body was seen floating almost beneath the bridge in Andover street, and John Stowell, 44-year-old O.M.I. Cadet, volunteered his services as a swimmer, and disrobing swam out to the body. Meanwhile a rope was lowered from the bridge and tied about the body by Young Stowell. The body was later hauled out of the water.

## LOWELL MAN AGAINST

REP. MURPHY OPPOSES BILL TO ABOLISH STATE BOARD OF INSANITY

BOSTON, May 13.—The ways and means committee of the house of representatives has reported "ought to pass" with three dissenters, on the bill to abolish the state board of insanity and to establish in place of it the Massachusetts Commission on Mental Diseases. The dissenters are Messrs. Dennis A. Murphy of Lowell, William J. Barry of Rockland and John I. Fitzgerald of Boston. The new measure provides for a paid director at an annual salary of \$7500 and four associates who shall serve without compensation.

The committee on harbors and public lands has reported as a resolve to authorize the state forester to make a further investigation with regard to the advisability of taking Mt. Holyoke as a state reservation.

The committee on cities has reported "ought to pass" on a resolution of referendum to the voters of Springfield on the question of revising the city charter and "reference to the next legislature" on the petition for a revision of the Springfield city charter.

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## AT KENWOOD SCHOOL

PARENT-TEACHERS ASSOCIATION HELD ENTERTAINMENT AT THE SCHOOL

Thursday evening of this week was enjoyed by the Parent-Teacher association of the Kenwood school in the form of a Children's night, when all the school children were entertained by the association. Ice-cream and cake were served by the committee, which consisted of Mrs. Cheney Mrs. Curry and Mrs. Corbett. The following entertainment was much enjoyed: Songs, Grades 3, 4 and 5; solo, What a Wonderful Mother You'd Be, Mr. Manuel Aguilar; song, grades 3 and 4; children's polka, grades 3 and 4; reading; The Whistling Regiment, Miss Florence Deane; song, grades 5 and 6; violin solo, Mr. Donovan; Swedish Klapp dance, grades 1 and 2; solo, My Mother's Rosary, Miss Viola Warren; dramatization of Epaminondas, grade 2; Star Spangled Banner by children and audience; Misses Garvey, Gallagher, Powers and Leblanc, and Messrs. Aguilar and Davis had charge of the entertainment. A business meeting was called after the entertainment and it was voted to hold a special meeting the second Thursday in June.

## THE MODERN BLUEBEARD

WOMEN VICTIMS OF BELAR KISS TOTAL 15—BODIES OF THREE STRANGLED WIVES FOUND

BUDAPEST, May 13.—Official investigation of the case of the modern Bluebeard, in the village of Cinkota, who, it develops, was known as Belar Kiss, shows that the man made a practice for years of deceiving women by marriage advertisements, securing their money on marriage promises and then murdering them.

The police have a record of 15 women, all missing, with whom Kiss was associated. In the house he had occupied were discovered packages of letters from all parts of the world, including the United States.

Four of seven sealed leaden cases found in the dwelling were opened. Three contained the bodies of strangled women.

There appears to be no doubt that Kiss died at Valjevo, Serbia. Although he rarely worked, he spent money so generously that he was known generally as the "American Uncle."

## 600 REFUGEES ARRIVE

NEW YORK, May 13.—More than 600 refugees from Greece and Serbia were among the 1400 steerage passengers on the Italian steamship Duca d'Aosta which arrived here today from Mediterranean ports.

## WOMAN WAS PREPARED

DRAWN LOADED REVOLVER WHEN GUNMAN DEMANDS DIAMONDS—WOULD-BE ROBBER FLEES

BOSTON, May 13.—One South End gunman got the surprise of a young lifetime yesterday noon when he tried to rob Mrs. Catherine Montgomery, at 263 Massachusetts avenue. The hold-up artist had the loot in sight, when he became a victim of nerve and preparedness and a loaded revolver was pressed against him.

Barring a few bruises on her arms caused by the burglar forcing her toward her bedroom to get her jewelry, Mrs. Montgomery is none the worse for the episode. A handful of torn and crumpled currency were the only visible signs of disturbance in her orderly and well-kept apartment.

The gunman demanded the woman's diamonds, but when she pulled a gun he fled and escaped over the apartment house roof.

## FOR MEMORIAL DAY

UNION BANDS WILL PARADE WITH VETERANS—U. S. CARTRIDGE CO. BAND WILL BE IN LINE

A few days ago it was said that the Musicians' union would not allow union musicians to participate in the Memorial day parade because certain members of the committee in charge of the parade were desirous of hiring the U. S. Cartridge Co. band, but this trouble has been amicably settled and the U. S. Cartridge Co. band will be in line in company with the Lowell Military band.

All of the members of the U. S. Cartridge Co. band are union men, with the exception of three, and these three will probably be initiated into membership at a special meeting of the union to be held Sunday.

A. I. Gilman, chairman of the Memorial day music committee gave out a statement yesterday to the effect that both the Cartridge Co. band and the Lowell Military band have been hired to escort the Grand Army posts on Memorial day and that the Spanish war veterans will be headed by the Sixth Regiment band. This will make three bands in line.

President John J. Giblin, president of the Musicians' union has stated that William Regan, leader of the U. S. Cartridge Co. band, and two other members have filed applications for membership in the union and that a special meeting of the union will be held on Sunday to pass upon the applications.

## CHARGED WITH MURDER

CASE OF KAPLAN HELD AS RESULT OF LOS ANGELES TIMES GOES TO JURY

LOS ANGELES, Calif., May 13.—The case of David Kaplan, on trial here for murder, as a result of the destruction of the Los Angeles Times building by an explosion Oct. 1, 1910, in which 21 men were killed, is to be submitted to the jury today.

## SUNK BY THE GERMANS

CAPTAIN OF SWEDISH SCHOONER GIVES ACCOUNT OF SINKING OF HIS SHIP

STOCKHOLM, via London, May 13.—The captain of the Swedish schooner Harald gives in the Dagens Nyheter an account of the sinking of his ship by a German submarine in the North sea on May 5. The ship was halted by the submarine, the commander of which gave the crew 15 minutes in which to abandon the schooner. The captain of the Harald refused to obey his order and hoisted the Swedish flag. The Germans then boarded the schooner and poured petroleum over the ship and lighted it. They then attacked the captain with cutlasses, forcing him into a small boat. The blazing petroleum not destroying the Harald quick enough, the ship was sunk by gun fire from the submarine.

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IN ARSON TRUST CASES

## Woman Accused of Collecting Insurance on Children Burned in Fire of Suspicious Origin

BOSTON, May 13.—Further investigation by the grand jury into the operations of a so-called arson trust resulted today in the return of 12 secret indictments. Evidence in possession of Dist. Atty. Pelletier, it was authoritatively stated, included the case of a woman who collected insurance on two

children who were burned to death in a fire of suspicious origin. Another case which was the subject of inquiry related to the burning of a factory in which two firemen were killed and several injured. The grand jury a month ago returned several indictments of a similar nature upon which men are now awaiting trial.

## TROOPS REACH BORDER

## Artillery and Militiamen Ready for Duty in Mexico—Recruiting is Progressing

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., May 13.—Two companies of coast artillery reached here today and pitched camp at Ft. San Antonio near the militia encampment. It was said at headquarters that all of the other companies included in the movement will have arrived by night, making a total of seven at this point. Four companies have been sent to strengthen forces at El Paso and Marathon.

Maj. Gen. Funston will reach headquarters tonight after an absence of more than two weeks, necessitated by the conference at El Paso with Gen. Obregon.

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## MRS. STRAUSS DEAD

LOWELL WOMAN DIED IN HOLYOKE AT THE HOME OF HER DAUGHTER

Mrs. Hannah Strauss, a prominent resident of this city, died last evening at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Leduc, in Holyoke. Deceased is survived by her husband, Alexander Strauss, owner of the Casuar Mich store of this city; five sons, Dr. Israel Strauss of New York, Fred Strauss of this city, Ansel Strauss of New York, Dr. Abe Strauss of Cleveland, O., and Moses Strauss of Boston; three daughters, Mrs. Frank Leduc of Holyoke, Mrs. Milton Simons of Hartford, Conn., and Miss Minnie Strauss of this city. The body will be brought to the home, 18 Marlborough street this city. Funeral notice later. It is understood that Mrs. Strauss died quite suddenly.

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Lowell	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	x	3	5	1

Danny Murphy's New Haven Murlins made their good-bye bow at Spalding park this afternoon when they lined up against the Lowell team for the second of a two-game series. With three reverse decisions against them since leaving their home city Wednesday morning the New Haven crew went onto the field for practice full of pep and energy and out to use every effort to turn the tables on Lord's boys after the one-sided defeat of yesterday.

Murphy led the players onto the field for practice and put them through some fast work which pleased the fans who were on hand early. Though three pitchers were used by the visitors in yesterday's game Murphy has a reserve list of five or six more and all were warmed up previous to the game. New Haven is probably carrying more pitchers than any other team in the league as Manager Murphy can not seem to choose four or five who are satisfactory to work regularly.

Spikes, who played his last game with Lowell yesterday, left for Lynn to join the Hartford team shortly after the game and hence a change in the lineup was necessary. Lowell was without a substitute infielder today, but "Snubber" Greenhalge is ready to cast away his big mitt, temporarily, at any time and fill in in the event of an injury or any other cause.

Danny Murphy changed his lineup for today's game. Chouinard who played centre-field yesterday was shifted to second base and Catcher J. Murphy played centre. Donovan was sent in to pitch and Soper received him. Manager Murphy did not play. Umpire Donahy was in decision-making.

Manager Lord selected Zeke Lohman to do the twirling with Kilhullen doing the backstopping again today. The lineups were as follows:

Lowell: Lord, 3b; Nutter, 1b; Shannon, 2b; Barrows, cf; Downey, 2b; Chouinard, 3b; Corcoran, 3b; Murphy, ss; Kilhullen, c; Soper, p.

New Haven: Lord, 3b; Nutter, 1b; Shannon, 2b; Barrows, cf; Downey, 2b; Chouinard, 3b; Corcoran, 3b; Murphy, ss; Kilhullen, c; Soper, p.

First Inning: Nutter opened the game with an easy fly to Stimpson in short left. Shannon singled to right field. Stimpson made a nice catch of Tierney's fly in back of shortstop. Shannon started for second with the crack of the bat, had almost reached the keystone sack when Stimpmy made the catch. Stimpmy threw to Munn but Munn let the ball go through him and Shannon was safe. Miller grounded out, Downey to Munn.

No runs, 1 hit, no errors.

Miller let Lord's grounder go between his legs and while he was picking up the ball, Lord sneaked to second. Kane was hit by a pitched ball and walked to first. Stimpson advanced both men with a pretty sacrifice. Donovan, after almost beating Barrows, walked him, and the bases were full. Downey struck out. Donovan made a wild pitch, scoring Lord and Soper in a wild pitch. Lord to the plate, heaved it to right field, and Kane and Barrows scored. Munn fanned.

3 runs, 0 hits, 2 errors.

Score: Lowell 3, New Haven 0.

Second Inning: Chouinard hit to Lohman and went out at first. Lord picked up Corcoran's grounder and threw him out at first. Murphy sent one down to Munn and was the third out.

No runs, no hits, no errors.

Torphy hit the first ball pitched to second on a bunt in front of the plate, the latter going out on the play. Donovan made a couple of attempts to catch Torphy off second but "Red" was on the job. Shannon juggled Lohman's grounder, and even failed to get Torphy at third. J. Murphy took a line drive from Lord, who hit the first ball pitched. Torphy and Lohman tried a double steal, before the ball was pitched and Donovan got Torphy at the plate, closing the inning.

No runs, one hit, one error.

Score: Lowell 3, New Haven 0.

Third Inning: Soper hit a sharp grounder to Downey and expired at first. Donovan did likewise. Nutter hit a pop fly that dropped between Lord and Lohman, giving him a money life at first. Shannon hit the first ball pitched way over Kane's head for what looked like a dead sure home run, but Kane recovering, the ball relaxed. It to Downey and Torphy and "Red" threw caught Shannon at the plate. Nutter, however, scored ahead of Shannon on the hit. One run, two hits, no errors.

Kane popped a fly to Donovan. Stimpson was given a free ticket to first. Barrows flied to Nutter. Nutter threw to first, getting Stimpson for a double play, closing the inning. No runs, no hits, no errors.

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Fourth Inning: Tierney hit a grounder to Lohman

and was out at first. Miller hit to Lord and went out at first. Chouinard closed the inning with an infield grounder, Downey to Munn. No runs, no hits, no errors.

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Fifth Inning: Corcoran hit to Lord and was retired at first. Murphy flied out to Barrows. Soper closed the inning with a grounder, Torphy to Munn.

No runs, no hits, no errors.

Lohman popped a fly to Shannon and was out. Lord hit one too hard for Miller to handle, and he reached first. Kane hit to Donovan and went out at first. Lord going to second on the put-out. Stimpson flied to Tierney and was out.

No runs, 1 hit, no errors.

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Sixth Inning: Lohman knocked down Donovan's grounder and threw him out at first. Nutter hit to Downey and died at first. Shannon grounded to Torphy and was the third out.

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No runs, 2 hits, no errors.

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Eighth Inning: Corcoran was hit by a pitched ball. Murphy advanced him with a single over second base. Soper's pretty sacrifice advanced both men, Soper bunting to Lohman. A single would have tied the score but Donovan fanned. Zeke got out of a hole when Nutter's grounder to Downey closed the inning.

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## MEXICAN GIRL CALLED HOME FROM LOWELL

## Carmen Reyes Will Give Up Her Studies Here to Obey Call of Carranza Government

Carmen Reyes, the Mexican girl who has been studying at the State Normal school in this city, has received notice from the Carranza government to report at once to the authorities at Mexico City. She will leave Lowell on Monday and will probably sail from New York on Tuesday morning.

Seporita Reyes is one of over 100 Mexican young women who came to this country to study our school system and fit themselves as teachers and the hurry call is translated by some of them to mean that the situation between Mexico and the United States is more serious than was supposed.

In an interview with The Sun some time ago Senorita Reyes said she had addressed a letter to Carranza asking to be advised as to the real condition of affairs. She further stated that if there was to be actual war between

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# DISORDERLY HOUSE RAID

## Keeper Sentenced to Six Months—Autoist in Trouble—Other Cases in Police Court

As a result of a raid made last evening in a house at 50 Lee street by Special Officer J. H. Clark and Patrolmen Tsaffaras and Fulton, Charles Johnson appeared in police court this morning charged with keeping and maintaining a house of ill repute. William Keropkin and Rose Morowski who were also arrested in the raid were asked to answer to a complaint charging them with a statutory offense. John J. McClure appeared for Johnson, Frank Goldman for Keropkin and Edward J. Tierney for the girl.

Special Officer Clark testified that the house in Lee street has been under surveillance for some time and that the raid was made last evening under the orders of Supt. Welch. He said that when he and his brother officers entered the house last evening, they found Keropkin and the girl in a room, with the door locked. Officer Clark said he commanded the persons inside the room to open the door and that when his request was not complied with, he broke into the room. He said the room and its surroundings were in a very disorderly condition. He also said he had obtained other evidence that Johnson kept and maintained the house in question for immoral purposes. The evidence offered by Officers Tsaffaras and Fulton substantiated Officer Clark's testimony.

As it was Johnson's second appearance for a similar complaint, Judge Enright imposed a fine of \$35 for drunkenness, and ordered the man committed to the house of correction for a term of six months. Through his attorney, J. J. McClure, Johnson entered an appeal. Keropkin was fined \$10 and the woman \$30.

### Charge Against Autoist

William Manchester, charged with operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor, had his case continued for two weeks, and Endoriste Barrette, who, it is alleged, failed to stop his motorcycle when commanded to do so by a police officer, was given a continuance of one week in which to prepare his case. Rene Levesque, charged with assault and

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battery, asked for a continuance of one week, which was granted.

### Larceny Case

The case of John Lira, charged in two counts with stealing articles from the homes of John Edmunds and John O'Malley, was called on continuance today. This case was called for trial Wednesday morning but was continued in order to give the local authorities a chance to look up Lira's record. The police found that one John Lira, a resident of Quincy, had been before the police court in Quincy several times within the past year, and the description of the man tallied closely with the defendant. Lira denied that he had ever been arrested and said that the Quincy man might have been his brother. His explanation that his brother's first name was also John didn't satisfy the court and Judge Enright ordered him to pay a fine of \$20 on each count.

### Placed on File

Richard Ganley, the young man who accidentally shot a young woman, named Miss Margaret Quinn, about a month ago in Perry street, appeared in court this morning and his case was placed on file. Ganley, it will be remembered, was showing a revolver to his cousin, William Keene, when it was accidentally discharged, the bullet striking Miss Quinn. Ganley was represented by George Toye.

### Drunken Cases

John Sousek was given six weeks in which to pay a fine of \$35 for drunkenness, and Francis Phelan, a Fitchburg resident, was ordered to pay a fine of \$15 for over indulgence. A woman who appeared in court on Wednesday in such a condition that she couldn't answer to the court when her name was called, was allowed to go to her home on condition that she will abstain from alcoholic beverages for one year. Several were placed on probation.

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Mrs. E. A. McQuade of Andover street will hold a whist party with special features next Friday evening at her home for the benefit of St. Peter's orphanage. A large patronage is assured.

The ambulance was summoned to the Tremont & Suffolk Mills this morning to remove Daniel Francis, an employee who had two of his fingers crushed while working around a machine. The injured man was taken to his home, 20 Bradford street, where he received treatment.

Mrs. Hilda Lee Drew attended the commencement week exercise of the Emerson College of Oratory in Boston and the annual alumnae banquet at the Vendome hotel Thursday evening. The exercises were brilliant and most interesting. This was one of the largest classes in the history of the college for 35 years, and every class was represented.

Deputy Grand Chancellor Fred B. Merrow of Haverhill and his suite were the guests of the members of Chevalier-Middlesex, Knights of Pythias at their regular meeting last evening at Highland hall. A buffet luncheon was served and a delightful musical program was given. The local committee in charge of the reception was headed by H. G. Jones.

Among the United States letters patent of local interest recently issued, to Charles A. Le Duc and Harry Snider, secured through the office of Gen. Gardner W. Pearson, is one on a die intended principally for cutting shoe uppers. This die is reversible and is provided with counting mechanism whereby much space is saved and the die is very little chance of error in the count.

A fire in a freight car in Jackson street at about 7:12 last evening was responsible for the ringing of an alarm from box 25. The car was filled with baled cotton consigned to the Hamilton Manufacturing Co. Large volumes of smoke poured from the car which was badly damaged by the flames. The fire department arrived on the scene quickly and threw as many bales as possible into the street to prevent their destruction.

A well attended dancing party was conducted last evening in Hilbertian hall by the Young Ireland Athletic association, and the affair proved both enjoyable and successful. Sheehan's orchestra furnished music for a score or more dance numbers and at intermission refreshments were served. James A. Sheehan was general manager and Frank Erick, the floor director.

Lincoln hall last evening was the scene of a very enjoyable "cotton party" conducted by young women employees of the C. F. Hatch Co. The hall was prettily decorated with many colored streamers and draperies and Neyman's orchestra furnished music for dancing which lasted until midnight. The affair was the second annual of its kind. Miss Myrtle Houston and Miss Jennie Smothered, assisted by other young women of the concern, had charge of the arrangements.

The second anniversary of the founding of the Frohman Singing society was observed in a fitting manner at Highland hall last evening. The affair consisted of a musical program followed by general dancing. The opening number was by the society, and others who took part in the program were Miss Bertha Woessner, Mrs. Ray Finch, Miss Lena Drescher, Sophia Thuman and others. The officers in charge of the enjoyable affair were as follows: Manager, Carl Erlbach; floor director, Ernest Woessner, Sr.; aids, Mrs. E. Woessner, Mrs. A. Schramm, Mrs. H. Glendard, Miss Sophie Boehme, Miss Sophie Thuman, Miss Lena Drescher, Miss Emma Thuman and Messrs. H. Glendard, Wm. Becht, A. Schramm, E. Woessner, Jr.

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**DEATHS**

**HACKETT**—John H. Hackett died today at his home, 11 West street. The body was removed to the funeral chambers of Higgins Bros.

**HATHAWAY**—Miss Emma L. Hathaway died May 9 in Mattapan after a long and painful illness. She was for many years the contralto of the quartet at the Kirk street church.

**CAKELAPOS**—Charles Cakelapos, infant son of Sarantos and Ellen, died yesterday at the Lowell General hospital, aged 6 months. Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at the Greek Orthodox church at 4 o'clock. Rev. Mariton Panagopoulos officiating. Burial was in the Westlawn cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Mr. Panagopoulos. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker C. H. Molloy.

**GALLAGHER**—Hugh J. Gallagher, a prominent resident of this city, died yesterday at his home, 922 Central street, after a brief illness, aged 65 years. Deceased was born in Ireland and came to Lowell at the age of 15. A few years after his arrival in this city he became a stationary fireman and worked at his trade until about ten years ago when he secured employment as watchman at the Federal Shoe Co., position he held until the time of his death. Deceased leaves to mourn his loss his wife, Ellen; three brothers, Peter, Frank and James J. Gallagher. He was a prominent member of Court Middlesex, F. of A.

**MESSINGER**—Mrs. Alice Queenan Messenger died today at St. John's hospital, aged 38 years. She leaves to mourn her loss a husband, Elmer, three children, Mrs. James H. Keating and one brother, Frank Queenan, three children, Anna May, Elmer and Gertrude. The body was removed to the funeral chambers of Higgins Bros.

**FUNERALS**

**RYAN**—The funeral of the late Patrick J. Ryan took place this morning at 9 o'clock from his late home, 124 South street, and was well attended. The funeral cortege proceeded to St. Patrick's church where at 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Patrick Crayton. Among the floral offerings were pieces from the family, Mrs. Campbell and family, Mrs. McElroy, Ellen Shannon and Miss Mary Quinn. The bearers were Charles McNulty, Michael Ryan, Michael McNulty and Edward Campbell, Jr. Burial was in the family vault in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the final prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Crayton. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

**COX**—The funeral of Mrs. Ellen Cox took place yesterday afternoon from her home, 4 Everett street. The bearers were Messrs. Joseph McDonough, Michael Fenton, Patrick Gleason and William Welch. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Owen P. McKenna, O.M.I. Undertaker James W. McKenna was in charge of the funeral arrangements.

**MULVEY**—The funeral of Thomas P. Mulvey, the young man who was killed by a fall from a train in Haverhill, Tuesday, took place yesterday afternoon from the rooms of Undertaker J. W. McKenna. The bearers were Messrs. Matthew Conley, Thomas Conley, Michael Lannon and James Lannon, four uncles of the deceased. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Francis J. Mullin of St. Michael's church.

**DEWIRE**—The funeral of the late Thomas B. Dewire took place this morning at 9 o'clock from his home, 502 School street and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends, including a number from out of town, also the following delegations: Lowell Aerie of Eagles, John Ryan, Dominick W. Monahan, James Courtney and George H. McCabe, P.W.P., Gas Workers association, Denis O'Donoghue, Michael B. Powers, John Ryan and Michael O'Connell. The cortege proceeded to St. Patrick's church where at 9 o'clock a mass of requiem was sung by Rev. James Keropkin. There were many beautiful floral tributes, including a pillow inscribed "Husband and Papa" from the family, and pieces from Mrs. L. F. Flinders, the Lowell Gas Workers association, friend at U. S. Cartridge Co., Mrs. M. W. Saunders, Mrs. McDermott, Mrs. Dunbar, Mrs. McManis, the Misses Hazel and Lillian Wotton, Mrs. Knowles, Mrs. Thompson and Miss Donaldson, S. H. Rostler & Sons and Harry Clifton and family. The members of the local Aerie of Eagles gathered at the home last night at 8 o'clock and the ritual of the order as prescribed for deceased members was exemplified by Worthy President Patrick McCann, assisted by Rev. Fr. Kerrigan read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery.

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rick's cemetery, in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

**KANE**—The funeral of the late Patrick Kane took place this morning at 9 o'clock from the chapel of James F. O'Donnell & Sons and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to St. Patrick's church where at 9 o'clock a mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Timothy Callahan. There were many beautiful floral tributes, including a large wreath from the wife, wreath with ribbon inscribed "Good Bye Grandpa Kane," Miss Marion, Fraser, and pieces from Mr. and Mrs. Richard Noonan, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, Mrs. Katherine Kane and Miss Kane and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Farley. The bearers were Michael Kiernan, Patrick Smith, James J. Kane and Charles Smith. At the grave Rev. Father Callahan read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

**DESMARIS**—Mrs. Onesime Desmarais nee Delphine Desrochers, a prominent and highly respected resident of West Central died this morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Bourrel, 501 Lakeview avenue, after a lingering illness borne with fortitude and resignation. Mrs. Desmarais had been a resident of this city for over 25 years. She was a kind mother and a true Christian and her sterling qualities created her a host of friends who will learn with grief of her demise. Deceased was 75 years, 10 months and 6 days old and was a member of the Third Order of St. Francis of Assisi, a sodality of St. Louis' parish. She leaves to mourn her loss four sons, Joseph of Derry, N. H., Napoleon, Albert and Edouard, all of whom reside in this city, and two daughters, Mrs. Auguste Jodoin and Mrs. Charles E. Bourrel.

**McMILLAN**—The funeral of Miss Mary McMillan was held at the rooms of Undertaker George W. Healey, 79 Kennedy street, yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Caleb E. Fisher, D.D., pastor of the First Universalist church. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to extend our most sincere thanks to all our friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy, spiritual bouquets and beautiful floral tributes during our recent bereavement.

St. Lawrence and Bellegarde families.

### FUNERAL NOTICES

**COOK**—The funeral of the late James Cook will take place Sunday afternoon. Services will be held at the funeral parlors of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons at 2 o'clock. Friends are invited to attend. Burial in the Edson cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

**FULLER**—Died in this city May 13, at her home, 10 West Central road, Miss Emma Josephine Fuller, aged 55 years. Funeral services will be held from the home of Miss Martha P. Worcester, 81 Sherman street, on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are invited. The interment will be in the family lot in the Lowell cemetery and will be private. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge of Undertakers Simmons & Brown.

**GALLAGHER**—The funeral of Hugh J. Gallagher will take place this morning at 9 o'clock from his home, 922 Central street. At 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Peter's church. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

**MESSINGER**—The funeral of Mrs. Alice Queenan Messenger will take place Monday morning at 9 o'clock from the funeral chambers of Higgins Bros., on Lawrence street. High mass of requiem will be celebrated at the immaculate Conception church at 9 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral in charge of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

**ONEIL**—The funeral of the late David O'Neil will take place Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock from his home, 63 Cambridge street. High mass of requiem will be sung at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

### REPORT OF DEATHS

For the Week Ending May 13, 1916

George W. Brothers, 53, angina pectoris.

John Wenzel, 2 m., lob. pneumonia.

Frank A. Bowen, 64, ac. cardiac dilation.

Virgil J. Fee, 58, cer. hemorrhage.

Daniel Lobas, 1, tub. meningitis.

Mary Cote, 11 m., ac. bronchitis.

Bridge Francis, 55, carcinoma.

Edna Strang, 12, chr. par. nephritis.

Winifred Monroe, 65, arterio-sclerosis.

Pauline Hebert, 1, lob. pneumonia.

Jane F. Smith, 64, arterio-sclerosis.

Susan P. Belne, 67, cancer.

Patrick Riley, 65, disease of the heart.

Julia A. Carroll, 56, carcinoma.

Jadwiga Kowalewska, 1, tub. meningitis.

Elizabeth Keating, 66, fatty degeneration of heart.

Edwin B. Stewart, 57, accident.

Alice Winslow, 11, cer. hemorrhage.

David Cordingley, 52, disease of the heart.

Pierre Hetu, 55, broncho-pneumonia.

Mary E. St. Lawrence, 40, pulm. tuberculosis.

Costas T. Scaperdas, 3, ep. cer. meningitis.

Leonida Kakkelopouris, 1, diphtheria.

John McMillan, 35, lob. pneumonia.

Ellen Cox, 40, post part. hemorrhage.

Rose Silva, 11 m., con. debility.

Thomas B. Dewire, 41, pulm. tuberculosis.

Patrick J. Ryan, 32, accident.

Agnes A. Gray, 59, post operative ileus.

Thomas B. Dewire, 41, pulm. tuberculosis.

Evangelos Kontis, 6 m., broncho-pneumonia.

Charles Cakelapos, 6 m., pulm. tuberculosis.

James Cote, 63, pulm. tuberculosis.

Stephen Flynn, City Clerk.

### THE IRISH SITUATION

LONDON, May 13.—John Redmond, the Irish nationalist leader, and Sir Edward Carson, Ulster unionist leader, both of the future of Ireland in their hands. If the two Irish leaders, representing the north and south of Ireland, can come to an agreement on the handling of the Irish situation, the British government will be ready to accept their plan.

Redmond and Carson, whatever differences may have divided them, are not personal enemies, and it is believed they may be able to formulate a policy which will pacify Ireland, north and south, and bring the present troubles to an end.

What this compromise can eventually be, is uncertain. It is held that the home rule bill in immediate effect if the two Irish leaders can make an agreement on that basis. It is not by any means certain, however, that Sir Edward Carson would be willing to go that far with a compromise plan.

**PRESENTATION TO MISS MCSKERR**

Miss Emma McSkerr, the well known bookkeeper at the local office of the C. Leo Life Insurance company, was presented a purse of gold last evening at a reception tendered her by

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**AGENTS FOR**

## Regal Shoes for Men

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With this shoe at \$4.00 we are showing the most popular patterns of the season and at a popular price.

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There's a lot of satisfaction in knowing that you have the correct footwear. Invest in a pair of Regals and you'll wear the shoe that is being worn right now in the principal style centres throughout the country.

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employees of the office and friends. Miss McSkerr, who is to marry Mr. William McLaughlin in June resigned her position with the local office today.

The reception was held in the office of Mr. Frank Dolegan in the Harrington building and County Commissioner Erson Barlow, who is the manager of the local office of the T. C. Leo Co., made the presentation speech. Mr. Barlow spoke in glowing terms of the excellent work rendered by Miss McSkerr while she has been connected with the company, and congratulated her upon her approaching marriage.

Miss McSkerr was taken completely by surprise but she made a fitting response, saying that she would always cherish her connections with the office and the members of the office force.

Following the presentation a supper was served by Caterer Harvey after which a delightful musical and literary program was carried out. Miss Cora Barrows was the accompanist of the evening.

**SPECIAL NOTICE**

Mr. George Lynch, the well known wood dealer of Marion street, has engaged in the Meat, Provisions and Grocery business in the store numbered 139 Adams street, corner of Lagrange, which is known as the New England Market, where he intends in the future to have one of the best regulated stores in the city. He has been fortunate in engaging the services of Humphrey Coffey, the well known provision dealer as manager, and under their management they will try and please all their old friends as well as new and invite the public to call. You will be sure to receive satisfactory treatment.

George Lynch, Proprietor. Humphrey Coffey, Manager.

**NEW ENGLAND MARKET, 139 ADAMS ST. COR. LAGRANGE ST.**

**EAGLES, TAKE NOTICE**

The next regular meeting of Lowell Aerie, No. 223, F. O. E., will be held at their new quarters,

**No. 52 Central Street**

**On Tuesday Evening, May 16**

A large class will be initiated. Every member should endeavor to be present.

**BECOME AN EAGLE**

Over 300 young men have embraced the opportunity now offered to become a member of Lowell aerie under the reduced initiation fee. Are you one of them? If not, why not? Do you realize that you are neglecting an opportunity to protect yourself and your family at a minimum cost? Do you realize that this opportunity may not be offered to you again? By a special dispensation of the Grand Worthy President, the charter of Lowell aerie, No. 223, will be open to June 15th. If you have not already taken an application, DO IT NOW.

Remember that the Eagles have now a membership of over 1500, and a treasury exceeding \$25,000. That it is the strongest fraternal organization, numerically and financially in the city. That it furnishes reputable physicians to its members, and to their families, free of cost. That it pays a sick benefit to its members of \$7.00 per week. That it pays a death benefit of \$100—and that it pays them promptly. Do not hesitate. Become an Eagle. Application blanks can be obtained from the members and at the following addresses:

**JOHN M. HOGAN, 190 Cross St.**

**RICHARD GRIFFITH, 31 Bridge St.**

**WM. J. COLLINS, 17 Gorham St.**

**J. J. GALLAGHER, 262 Merrimack St.**



## GREAT DOG SHOW

Largest Ever Held in  
New England at the  
Vesper Club

Social circles of Lowell, and more especially those who love and own dogs, are looking forward with eager anticipation to the great dog show which will be held at the Vesper Country club, Thursday, June 8, under the auspices of the Ladies Dog club. This is the annual show of the club which, next to the American Kennel association, is the largest in America. The shows of the American Kennel association are held annually at Minneapolis, L. I.

The officers of the Ladies Dog club are: President, Mrs. E. H. Seagrave; first vice president, Miss Fanny Brooks; second vice president, Mrs. E. H. Whitcomb; treasurer, Mrs. C. E. Dennee; secretary, Miss Rita Talbot. These, aided by an energetic committee, have made elaborate arrangements for the affair, and it is expected that the show will be the largest open-air dog fete ever held in New England. All of the principal kennels from Chicago, Philadelphia and New York will make nominations, and exhibits are booked from New York, Philadelphia, Detroit, Portland, Ore., and many points in Illinois and through the middle west. A Lowell lady who is intensely interested in the affair says that all will advise this city in social circles throughout the country as thoroughly as Mr. Hood's auctions advertise the city among lovers of fine cattle. It is expected that dog fanciers from all over New England will support the Lowell show and will be present in large numbers.

The list of special prizes numbers some three hundred objects and over \$500 in cash has already been subscribed. The show will have as patronesses some of the best known women in Lowell, including: Mrs. Julian Talbot, Mrs. Joseph F. Talbot, Mrs. James E. Nesmith, Mrs. Frederick P. Marble, Mrs. Butler Ames, Mrs. Perry D. Thompson, Mrs. Charles I. Hood, Mrs. Harry Pollard, Mrs. Warren O. Winsor, Mrs. Theodore E. Parker.

The judges selected are people who are well known to the city. Dr. John E. De Mund, Brooklyn, N. Y., Boston terriers and Russian wolfhounds; J. E. Comerford, Brighton, Mass., collies; I. W. Conney, Newton, Mass., St. Bernards; John R. Thorndike, New City, N. Y., Irish terriers; John P. Bowditch, foxhounds and beagles; Robert S. Givwick, Jr., New York, Scottish West Highland White and Welsh terriers; Walter S. Gurnee, Jr., Oyster Bay, N. Y., English bulldogs; Vincent Turley, Brookline, Mass., French bulldogs; George W. Quintard, Bayville, N. Y., fox terriers; Mrs. W. M. Van Buren, New York, Pekingeses spaniels; George S. Thomas, Hamilton, Mass., general breeds and varieties, unclassified specials, etc.

Charles E. O'Connor, 36 Broomfield street, Boston, Mass., will act as manager of this show and the entries will close with him on May 25.

## FATE OF 15,000 UNKNOWN

WERE CARRIED OFF TO RUSSIA  
DURING RUSSIAN INVASION OF  
EAST PRUSSIA

BERLIN, May 13.—(By wireless to Sayville)—The Chronicle of the Christian World, a religious weekly, says that during the second Russian invasion of East Prussia 15,000 women, children and old men were carried off to Russia and that the fate of most of them is unknown, says the Overseas News agency.

It is stated 50,000 houses were looted, 25 rectories and 13 churches demolished, and six clergymen with their families carried off.

## THE SPELLBINDER

Frequent requests have been made at city hall, recently, for better police and park facilities, and yet there is no more crime and no more parks, with the exception of the additional places in grounds. We have the word of Supt. Welch for the excellent condition of the city as regards morals and law-enforcement, which, recently, he made the subject of an address at a banquet. And yet more police appear to be needed, and the reason is obvious. The city is growing rapidly since the industrial boom struck it, and with the increased activity, and the increased population some of the police routes covering a great area which could be readily looked after in the past, are now too large for proper attention by one patrolman. Then the general adoption of the motor truck by business men, and the increased number of pleasure machines make it necessary to provide an increased number of traffic officers at the intersecting streets where traffic is continuous, and conditions dangerous. Mayor O'Donnell has been asked to place police boxes in Georgetown, near Moore, although there is a box not a great distance beyond that point, and in outer Middlesex street near the city line. Those making the requests, evidently believe that the presence of the box assures the frequent presence of the patrolman. It will be noted that the locations asked for are at points where travel to and from two of the large munitions plants is greatest; localities that have grown in population, excitement and bustle. Relative to the park system, people are beginning to appreciate the parks of Lowell more than they have in the past and are flocking to them more numerous. Since the coming of the boys of deer to Fort Hill, large crowds have been attracted to that picturesque but heretofore generally overlooked spot.

## Problem of Leisure Time

The demand for more and adequately equipped and supervised playgrounds brings up one of the latest of municipal questions, the problem of leisure time; in this particular case, as it relates to the children of the city. Policing, fire protection, education, health, sewerage, paving and water supply, have all been municipalized, and now the matter of leisure time is being considered throughout the country, having first been taken up in different cities, including Lowell, by private organizations. Children between the ages of 10 and 16 have a great amount of leisure time on their hands. They attend school about 195 days in the year, and five hours a day. The rest of the time is their own, and they are not permitted to go to work during it. Upon how they utilize that leisure time depends largely their future. In olden days the children had wide fields in which to roam, but in crowded industrial centers, comparatively few have even a back yard and are compelled to find amusement on the public streets. If they seek recreation at the parks, invariably they are confronted by the ominous injunction to "keep off the grass," and thus the park system allows them comparatively little opportunity for constructive play. If you watch them after school in the afternoon you will find hundreds on the streets, doing absolutely nothing, idling away their time, watching what others are doing. The work of providing suitable opportunity for the children for recreation and play has been taken up by the Women's clubs of the country and by other organizations, but the question has now become a problem for the municipalities to take up and do something in a small way. The city of today is called a city of humankind. It builds hospitals for the sick, and hospitals for the segregation of those afflicted with contagious diseases; it looks after the defective, the aged and infirm, and while it was Grover Cleveland who once said: "It is the duty of the government to support the people, but the duty of the people to support the government," the state is reversed by the cities of today, and a helping hand is extended to those who are handicapped in fighting

the battle of life. The question of the leisure time of children is now classed among the obligations of the city along humanitarian lines. Hence, the cities have begun by setting aside places in which the children may play. On account of the crowded condition of most cities, but small spaces are available within a short distance. This fact has led to the question of supervision at the playgrounds for the purpose of protecting the rights of the younger and weaker from the older and stronger. But the playground supervisor has brought with him or her another advantage beyond that of protection, for many children know neither how nor what to play and the supervisor therefore instructs them in what has been aptly termed the technique of play, and with most beneficial results, to all concerned. The question is now as yet, and it is hard to convince some taxpayers, and perhaps some city fathers of the importance of adequate appropriations for parks and supervised playgrounds, but it is growing in importance, and we will yet spend large amounts of money for constructive work in the leisure time of those who are to be the fathers and mothers, and citizens of the future. This year's municipal council made one good move in adding to the playground system by acquiring land at Chambers street, and yet was adversely criticized in certain quarters.

On the question of the leisure time of adults much might be written. The police court always has its largest docket on Monday, after a day of leisure. The coming of the movie shows has done much to occupy the leisure time of the adults in cities, while it also has its special attraction for the children. More than 20,000,000 attend moving picture shows every day in America. And now many are advocating the municipalization of this form of entertainment, not only as a means of providing more elevating and instructive pictures, but also as a source of revenue to meet municipal expenses. Legalized Sunday baseball would go a great way toward keeping men out of harm's way during their leisure hours on the Sabbath, but such a proposition hasn't a burglar's chance in staid old New England at this time, and hence it's a waste of time and energy to advocate it.

## Almost Ready on Bridge

Next week the plans for the new Pawtucket bridge are expected to be in shape whereupon the permission to start work will be applied for from the harbor and land commission, and then they'll get started on the actual work, and there'll be a new bridge at the falls this year, after all.

## THE SPELLBINDER.

## THOUSANDS AT NAVY YARD

"NAVY DAY" PROGRAM ARRANGED BY MASS. AUXILIARY OF OF NAVAL RELIEF SOCIETY

BOSTON, May 13.—The Charlestown navy yard, in which forty vessels of war had been assembled, was visited by thousands of persons today in connection with a "Navy Day" program arranged by the Massachusetts Auxiliary of the Naval Relief society.

Among the principal demonstrations of naval preparedness were the maneuvers of the L-1 representative of the latest type of submarines in the United States navy. It was arranged that the little craft should submerge four times during the day. The launching of a torpedo by the torpedo boat destroyer O'Brien had an important place in the events of both morning and afternoon.

The fighting ships, ranging from the submarines to the super-dreadnaughts were dressed for the occasion. The only vessels without colors were ten submarines built for the British government by an American company and interned at the local yard for the duration of the war.

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May Only---\$17  
Nothing Down  
\$1 per month

Use your heater thirty days before you pay anything and then only \$1 per month. On such terms, no one can afford to be without one of these Vulcan Heaters. But remember that you must act at once if you want a heater at this price. The cost of copper and other materials is still going up and the cost of labor is greater.

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price must go up—Act Now.

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## DELIGHTFUL CONCERT WALKER SHOE STORE

FIRST OF THE SEASON GIVEN AT  
THE STATE NORMAL SCHOOL  
YESTERDAY

A delightful concert, the first of the season, was given yesterday afternoon at the State Normal school in Broadway under the auspices of the department of music of the school. Among the artists who took part in the program were Arthur Hackett, tenor, head of the department; Albert Edmond Brown, of the school faculty. The members of the Glee club also delighted with several numbers, while the accompanists were Miss Gertrude A. O'Brien, Mrs. Arthur Hackett and Mrs. A. E. Brown.

The audience was large and appreciative and each number on the program was given a warm reception. The singing of Mr. Hackett was particularly good, while Mr. Brown rendered his numbers in his usual artistic manner. The singing of the Glee club was remarkably good, doing credit to the training the young women are receiving. Their part of the program was interesting because of its varied character, and the apparent versatility which the singers have acquired.

The names of the members of the Glee club are as follows:

First soprano—Catherine M. Connell, Hazel Weinbeck, Grace Murray, Louise O'Brien, Jessie W. Brown, Margaret Garvey, Elizabeth Hayes, Alice K. Ryan, Nina Valentine, Nettie Gnsburg, Frances Leggat, Doris Piper, Gertrude T. Carey, Margaret E. Cochran, Helen K. Gillen, Bessie A. Higgins, Mary T. Sullivan, Marie S. Dempsey, Freda E. White, Teresa O'Connor, Dorothy E. Burdick, Frances A. Gannley, Bertha E. Hanson, May J. Pratt, Leoline A. Tardiff.

Second soprano—Genevieve A. Callahan, Harriet L. McAloon, Lotta Waley, Clara Anderson, Mary C. Finning, Irene F. Kline, Elizabeth H. O'Neill, Lillian C. Kenna, Alice G. Lynch, May Carlson, Marjorie F. Eastman, Helen C. Harrington, Margaret C. O'Leary, Mary E. Park, Mary C. Laforte, Margaret Mullen, Lillian F. Baylake, Catherine L. Farley, Laura Henderson, Mary O. McQuillen.

Alto—Honora A. Lane, Gertrude F. O'Brien, Alicia White, Dorothy Lennon, Mary C. Comber, Mary A. Egan, Olive E. Messer, Bessie J. Bourne, Stella G. Miley, Dorothy Driscoll, Jessie Cloby, Marjette B. Breakey, Theresa R. Glynn, Marion J. Phillips, Lillian M. Donahue, Helen A. Castles, Zilpha Wallace, Florence M. Conley, Mary E. Early, Laura J. Joy, Lillian F. Swanson, Helene I. Mack.

PRES. WILSON ON CRUISE  
NEWPORT NEWS, Va., May 13.—The yacht Mayflower, with the president and Mrs. Wilson aboard for a week-end cruise, anchored off the ship yard here this morning from Washington.

The naval yacht Sylph was waiting off Newport News and soon after the president's arrival he and Mrs. Wilson left the Mayflower and went aboard. The Sylph started immediately for a trip up the James river and it was expected the president would visit the ruins of Jamestown.

No salutes were fired as the Mayflower passed Fortress Monroe and the battleships anchored in Hampton Roads, and the president's flag was not flown.

CHARTER AS A STATE BUSINESS  
CORPORATION GRANTED NEW  
LOWELL FIRM

Special to The Sun

STATE HOUSE, Boston, May 13.—A charter as a Massachusetts business corporation was granted yesterday to the Walker Shoe Store, Inc., of Lowell, with a capital stock of \$5000, consisting of one hundred shares of a par value of \$50 each.

The officers of the corporation, and their respective stock holdings, are as follows: President and treasurer, Joseph Fredberg of 81 Nesmith street, Lowell; five shares; clerk, Henrietta D. Fredberg, same address, five shares; directors, the above and Samuel Fredberg, of the same address, 10 shares. Only 20 shares of stock are to be issued at the present time, and these are to be paid for in cash.

Unanimity Breeds Contempt

The state senate had a hot fight yesterday over the bill providing that all applicants for licenses to drive motor vehicles shall be required to pass a practical test. At present chauffeurs alone are required to make an actual demonstration of their efficiency.

Senator George E. Marchant of Lowell was one of those who voted for the bill, but it was rejected by a vote of 20 to 15, after Senator James W. Bean had declared that the highway commissioners have found that by far the greater number of accidents happen to experienced drivers. When a man first begins driving a car, the senator said, he is always very careful, but as experience comes to him he generally ceases to be so. It is only a question of time when he gets over the danger mark.

If the bill were passed, he said, the highway commission would have to

employ a large number of persons to make the practical examinations, and the commission already has in its employ enough men who have never driven a car themselves. These men would have to take applicants down to the busy corners in Boston, in order to give them a real test, and it would be inevitable that a large number of accidents would result from the tests.

HOYT.

ST. JOHN'S MAY PARTY  
The annual May party of St. John's Ladies' Auxiliary society was held

last evening in the North Chelmsford town hall, and the affair proved successful from every standpoint.

Dancing was started at about 8 o'clock to music furnished by Marine's Crescent orchestra, and continued 'until midnight, with the exception of a short intermission which came at 10 o'clock. During intermission refreshments were served.

The committee in charge of the affair consisted of the following: Miss May Fallon, general manager; Miss Anna Walsh, assistant general manager; Miss Mary Murphy, floor director.

Lowell, Saturday, May 13, 1916

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Ladies' White Lisle Tights—Knee, lace trimmed or cuff; were 50c.....**38c** Each

Ladies' White Lisle Union Suits—Low neck, sleeveless and lace or cuff knee; were 50c.....**38c** Each

Ladies' Fibre Silk Hose—With lisle knee, gray, sand, Alice blue, white, black; were 50c.....**38c** a Pair

Ladies' Black Medium Lisle Hose—Linen toe and heels, seconds; were 25c.....**17c** a Pair

Ladies' Thread Silk Hose—Double soles, spliced heels, in all colors and black and white; were 38c.....**25c** a Pair

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You can keep well, if you will. Good health is a habit that nearly every one can form. But you must cultivate it until it becomes "second nature." Practice health as faithfully as you do the form of work or pleasure you like best, and you can be well all the time. Beecham's Pills are a natural aid to the health habit, and of untold value to all who want to be well and keep well. Harmless and dependable, the timely

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of these pills will correct slight disorders of the stomach, liver, bowels and blood—relieve indigestion, biliousness, sick headache—and clear up dull eyes and a muddy skin. Prompt attention given to these common disorders will keep the body from becoming diseased. The surest way to avoid illness is to prevent it. Neglect causes many ills.

As a preventive remedy, Beecham's Pills are supreme. They are made of medicinal herbs, contain no harmful or habit-forming drug, and may be safely taken by man, woman or child. So sure and reliable for the common ills of the household that they have stood the test for over sixty years. Today they have the largest sale of any medicine in the world, because they have won public confidence.

If you prize your good health, if you want to stay well—if you seek to recover bodily strength and mental vigor, you need the protection and relief given by Beecham's Pills.

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phy. Umpire Doherty. Time 2:10.

BRUNSWICK, Me., May 13.—usually favorable weather conditions prevailed today during the 22nd annual Maine Intercollegiate athletic meet held on Whittier Field. Warm weather and the absence of wind made it seem likely that several records would be broken.

A close finish was expected between Bowdoin and Maine, it being the

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**BLACK AND WHITE BALL**  
The Ladies of Charity of St. John's hospital will hold a very important meeting tomorrow afternoon at 4 p. m. to hear reports of the committees of the recent black and white ball. All arrangements will be made for the collection of money due for tickets.

**GENERAL STRIKE CALLED OFF**  
MADRID, May 13.—The general strike on all Spanish railroads, which had been set for May 20, has been called off. The points in dispute have been settled through concessions granted by the employers.

ready to dash southward still further if definite reports should be received of Villa or his bandits.

**AMERICAN TROOPS**

**SEEK HIDING PLACE**

**FIELD HEADQUARTERS, Near Namiquipa, Chihuahua, May 12.** (By wire—less to Columbus, N. M.)—Detachments of American troops today are investigating a rumor that Villa, at the head of 1100 men, is in hiding in the mountains between Ascension, Chihuahua, 73 miles south of Columbus, N. M., and Culberson's ranch, about 65 miles west of Columbus.

**REPORTS VILLA SEEN**

**NEAR CORRIZO, CHIHUAHUA**

EL PASO, Tex., May 13.—Report reached El Paso today that Francisco Villa had been seen near Corrizo, in western Chihuahua. This is in touch with the American columns, but so far as is known detachments have been sent to investigate the report.

From Chihuahua city information was received that Pablo Lopez, a Villa lieutenant, caught near Santa Ysabel, where, last February, he directed the killing of 13 Americans is being allowed to recover from his wounds before being put to death.

**FOUND DEAD IN BED**

**MICHAEL O'CONNELL DIED SUD-DENLY IN BILLERICA TO-DAY.**

Michael O'Connell, a man of about 50 years of age, was found dead in bed at the home of his employer, B. U. Kearney, in Billerica this morning. O'Connell was apparently in good health yesterday and last night he retired early. He was found dead this morning by Mr. Kearney, who went to his room to call him for work. Medical Examiner Melgs viewed the body and pronounced death due to natural causes.

The dead man had worked for Mr. Kearney about a month, going to Billerica from Tewksbury, where he was formerly employed by C. W. Parsons.

**LOST ON THE LUSITANIA**

**MRS. SALT SUES OWNERS FOR \$500,000 FOR DEATH OF HER HUSBAND**

BOSTON, May 13.—The loss of Henry J. Salt, a passenger on the steamer Lusitania, torpedoed on May 7, 1915 was made the basis of a suit for \$500,000 against the Cunard Steamship Co. Ltd., owners of the vessel which was killed in the fatal collision today by Mrs. Salt's widow, Mrs. F. E. Salt of Needham. The bill stated that Mrs. Salt was acting in behalf of her two minor children. The libel alleges that the Lusitania was being navigated imprudently and negligently through unnecessary exposure to war zone hazards when she was sunk. The case will be heard on May 26.

**CLARA LOUISE KELLOGG**

**FAMOUS PRIMA DONNA OF AMERICAN OPERATIC STAGE DIED TODAY**

NEW HARTFORD, Conn., May 13.—Clara Louise Kellogg, a prima donna of the American operatic stage before her marriage to Carl Strakosch in 1883, died at her home, Elipstone, this noon after a year's illness.

Mrs. Strakosch was born in Sumpter, S. C. on July 12, 1842. She was sent to New York city for her musical education and made her first appearance as Gilda in Verdi's opera Rigoletto, at the Academy of Music, in 1861. After her appearance later as Marguerite in Gounod's Faust, she received much attention. In this part of her career she was equally successful, sang throughout this, and her triumphs were equally brilliant in Europe. She sang in Her Majesty's theatre in London in 1867.

**GENERAL STRIKE CALLED OFF**

MADRID, May 13.—The general strike on all Spanish railways, which had been set for May 20, has been called off. The points in dispute have been settled through concessions granted by the employers.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.



## OUR PATRIOTIC DEAD

MASS MEETING AT ASSOCIATE HALL  
TO DENOUNCE BRUTAL EXECU-  
TIONS IN DUBLIN

The savage methods England is employing to terrorize Irish patriots have shocked the moral sensibilities of many kind. Men stand aghast at the proceedings of drumhead courts-martials. Within the space of a few hours Irishmen have been tried, convicted and executed for the crime of loving their country. The military satraps responsible for this are executing the orders sent them from London. Strike and spare not, is the program they are called upon to carry out. There is no leniency extended to those who took part in the Dublin revolt. Neither is there any respect shown to the public opinion of the world. The press of this country has been unsparing in its denunciation of the vindictive spirit manifested by military courts sitting in Dublin. Irish Americans have been stunned as well as enraged by the exhibition of English savagery practiced upon their kith and kin, already public meetings have been held in Springfield and Pittsfield, Mass., and other places. Next Sunday evening, May 14,

a meeting will be held at Associate hall to voice Lowell's abhorrence of the infamous deeds perpetrated in Dublin with the full sanction of the English government. We know it is not necessary to urge the people of Lowell to avail themselves of this occasion to show what they think of England's brutal crimes against our brothers. We hope that every one who reads these lines will not only be present in Associate hall next Sunday evening, but will exert himself or herself to bring along friends and acquaintances. Let us show that we are not indifferent to the crimes perpetrated last week in Dublin and in Cork this week, by England's agents.

Associate hall next Sunday evening should be crowded to its utmost capacity by those who wish to register their condemnation of those crimes. Per order, the Committee of Arrangements, for the Mass Meeting.

## DIAMOND DAZZLES

Guerin, the little fellow who pitched seven innings in Wednesday's game with Bridgeport, is only 18 years old, but is one of the coolest pitchers in the league.

The Lowell batters banged the ball in fine style yesterday and all pitchers looked alike to Lord's team yesterday.

Torphy's fumble of an easy grounder was the only misplay made by Lowell and that was not costly.

Of five hits made of George Tyler of the Braves yesterday, two were home runs and two were triples. Braves won the game, 5 to 4.

Whittaker, a Lynn pitcher, got a single, double and a home run in three times up off Gero of Hartford yesterday.

Jimmy Magee, the former Lowell outfielder, is playing left field for Billy Hamilton's Worcester team.

Danny Murphy, who is here as manager of the New Haven team, holds the world's record for batting in a single game. When he joined the Athletics he made six hits in six trips to the plate in his first game, the feat having been accomplished only once before, by Clarence Beaumont.

"Hob" Desmond, son of Connie of Stockpole street, the clever little mascot of the Lowell team, was attired in a new uniform yesterday. Bob's garments were similar to those of the players' home suits in every way and was made by the same firm, cap, stockings and all. The little mascot performed a "little bit" in his new suit by assisting in warming up some of the pitchers before the game and he had little trouble in hanging on to their shoos.

Clyde Engle, who has played on the New York and Boston American league teams, and who was third baseman for the Newark Federals last year, was signed as utility man by Manager Lee Fohl of the Cleveland American league team yesterday.

Int chase's sensational work with the Cincinnati Reds creates another good drawing card for the National league. When Prince Hal was at his best with the Yankees it was claimed that no first baseman the game ever knew was his equal. New York fans claimed he was even superior to Jake Daubert. But Brooklyn fans refused to believe that there was anything in the first base line superior to Daubert.

Joe Boehling's performance against the St. Louis Browns makes it plain that the blonde southpaw is going to be of considerable help to the Nationals this season.

This Speaker says: "I figured when I went to Cleveland that all I would have to do was to make a few hits, field a bit and run around through the motions. I saw only a joy season ahead. I found the Indians ready to play great ball, and I am sure we have a one-two-three proposition."

Pres. Ben Johnson says that the west never has shown such enthusiasm over baseball. "We are not worrying about the east," he continued, "as that section always gets going right not before June 1."

The Toledo American-association club officials received word Thursday that Manager Bresnahan that Pitcher Collamore has been turned back to the Cleveland Americans. Bresnahan, at the beginning of the season, purchased Collamore on a month's trial for \$1000.

EDISON FAVORS ROOSEVELT  
OYSTER BAY, N. Y., May 12.—Thos. A. Edison has come out for Col. Roosevelt for president. He has expressed his opinion of the colonel's fitness in vigorous terms, and in the letter in which he makes his views known and which he has sent to the Roosevelt Non-Partisan league, he declares that Col. Roosevelt is the only man to be considered at this time.

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## HEIRS TO BIG ESTATE

\$50,000 FOR MRS. ELVIRA GARY  
AND B. H. NICHOLS — A. S.  
NICHOLS MISSING SINCE 1885

BOSTON, May 12.—If Alden Stuart Nichols, a schoolboy in the City of Lowell when the Civil war broke out, had not enlisted and served in the Union army, his sister, Mrs. Elvira Gary of 47 Battery street, Back Bay would probably never have known of his death in Aurora, Neb., five months ago. Also an estate of about \$50,000 would have gone to that state instead of to Mrs. Gary and her nephew, Bertram H. Nichols of East Washington, N. H. Nichols died intestate last December. There were no letters, no papers to indicate any relatives. The Nebraska attorney general had started proceedings to claim the property when through the bureau of pensions at Washington and the office of the adjutant general of Massachusetts it was learned that Mr. Nichols had served in Co. F, 47th Massachusetts regiment, and the discovery of the heirs followed.

Audrey Judge, William L. Stark of Aurora, administrator named by the state, left Boston for home after taking depositions before Special Commissioner C. F. Gaynor, which, it is believed, will remove all doubts in Nebraska courts as to the lawful heirs to the estate.

Always Fond of Sister.  
Mrs. Gary is a widow and lives with her son, Dr. William H. H. Gary. The last word from her brother came to her in a letter mailed from Elyria, Minn., July 16, 1885, when she was 17.

Edward is a middle-aged man who is now farming. He is married and has one child.

The depositions have been taken in the last few days in room 1001, Carney building, 43 Tremont street, with Mrs. Gary and Nichols chief witnesses. Photographs, signatures, and references to be those of Alden Stuart Nichols, letters and other convincing documents were produced.

Alden Nichols, who had been an expert stair-builder, was a highly respected citizen of Aurora. He had lived in that town since 1875, and had never married. All this time Judge Stark had known him intimately and had heard him speak, always in terms of affection, of his sister and his relatives with whom he had parted years ago back in New England. Shortly before his death he had talked of coming east again to see his sister. And 20 years ago Judge Stark had even drawn up a will for him, later destroyed, in which he provided for a brother, now deceased, and Mrs. Gary. But when Mr. Nichols died suddenly, last December, at the age of 72, these names had passed from Judge Stark's memory.

Shunned Women—Never Wrote  
"Mr. Nichols was by no means a hermit," said Judge Stark. "But I never knew him to seek the society of a woman after he came to Aurora. And there is one explanation, I think, for this, and for the fact that he never wrote letters."

"We learned that during his six years residence at Lincoln, Ill., he became engaged to a woman who was killed in an accident, about 1883. Shortly before he had written home to a brother, I think, but he never wrote after that."

Once the war records provided a clew, Mr. Nichols' career was traced from the day he left Boston, through his wandering across the continent. First he lived near Winona, Minn., then at Garnett, Kan., Lincoln, Ill., and Red Oak, Ia., and was in California for some time before he finally settled in Aurora.

Judge Stark had taken charge of the burial. The local chapter of the G. A. R. attended the funeral and draped a flag over the casket. In the veteran's hand was placed a small silk flag given by the Ladies of the G. A. R.

Action By Nebraska  
Then, in the apparent absence of heirs, the state of Nebraska began its action for the estate, which comprised between 200 and 300 acres, valued at \$150 an acre, and \$15,000 in securities.

Meanwhile, however, the activity of a Nebraska congressman had cleared from the bureau of pensions that Nichols was born in Lowell, Mass., in 1844, and had lived in Boston and New London, N. H. Then Attorney Nelson Tunnell of New York became interested in the case, and the missing relative was soon located.

The Massachusetts records showed that when Nichols enlisted he was a minor, and an orphan, and had to get permission from his guardian, a man named McCoy. A brother of Mr. Nichols, now dead, married a daughter of McCoy, and was the father of Bertram H. Nichols. Then followed the discovery of Mrs. Gary, and Mr. Tunnell put in a claim on the estate for the two. The visit of Judge Stark and his conviction that Nichols and Mrs. Gary were the lawful heirs followed.

DAILY BAY STATE HEARINGS  
Public Service Commission So Decides—Feustel Cross-Examination Nears Its End

BOSTON, May 12.—The public service commission will give hearings daily next week on the Bay State railway petition for the right to charge 6-cent fares. This decision was reached yesterday, as Attorney Wadleigh, for the remonstrants, expects to conclude his cross-examination of Robert M. Feustel, the Bay State's expert engineer, by Monday.

Yesterday's session of the hearing ended in a disagreement between counsel and members of the commission as to the manner of proceeding with the cross-examination of Mr. Feustel and the presentation of the remonstrants' case.

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## INDUSTRIAL AND STORE NEWS

Routine meetings were held last night by the Bricklayers' union and Municipal Employees' union at their respective headquarters in Middle street.

A splat drive mechanism for splining, twisting and like machines has been invented by Albert W. Thompson of this city. He has had the device patented and assigned to the Saco-Lowell shops.

Work has been started by the Bigelow-Hartford Carpet Co. at Clinton on extensive additions to its plant, permission for the closing of which was obtained from the Clinton authorities some time ago.

Tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock in Trades & Labor hall a meeting for Polish weavers will be held. Two Polish and Lithuanian speakers have been secured by the committee in charge of the meeting.

The opening of the U. S. Cartridge Co. Baseball league will be held on Monday afternoon but the parade and other features planned for the opening date have been dispensed with for the time being.

A meeting of the International Brotherhood of Stationary Firemen was held in Trades & Labor hall on Thursday evening, at which a list of routine business was transacted. Sixty applications for membership were received and turned over to the investigating committee. The next meeting of the organization will be held on Sunday afternoon, May 28, at 32 Middle street.

Industrial Preparedness  
These are momentous times and the captains of the textile industry and their overseers never were so alert as

now. The pleas for industrial preparedness are being heard everywhere. Textile association after association has founded a deep warning note and now comes into the list the National Association of Woolen and Worsted Overseers. Its industrial preparedness committee, appointed at the November meeting, met last Friday and has already drawn up the set of resolutions which are to be presented at the May meeting at Rocky Point, R. I.

Overseers, like the captains of the textile industry, have come to keenly realize that they are face to face with the serious crisis that is pending with the ending of the terrible conflict of arms now raging in Europe. The devastations of the foreign countries at war, with their lower plane of living incident to a lower wage scale, is a sure forerunner of the destruction of the earning power of American textile workers, if no provisions are made now to offset the tremendous amount of low-priced foreign goods that will inevitably be piled into this country in competition with domestic products.

It is, furthermore, keenly and universally realized that every yard of foreign goods sold here after the war under the present tariff conditions will mean that one operative after another will quickly have his livelihood cut from under him as the avalanche of foreign goods begins to slide into the United States.

We are a nation of people who have established the highest plane of living in the world. We are a nation of people who are enjoying the things of life that are a luxury to our neighbors across the ocean. Shall we stand by and see those standards of living lowered and bring ourselves down to wages and living conditions prevalent



In Europe. The answer is easily, no! But nothing of moment can be accomplished unless every mill man puts his shoulder to the wheel to help block such a competition. For that reason every member of the association should make strenuous efforts to attend the May meeting and by a record attendance convince our national legislators that the time has come to solidly protect from the low wage competition of the world our textile industry.

ARRESTED TO SAVE LYNCHING  
MACHIAS, Me., May 12.—A near lynching in the outskirts of this little town has stirred the residents to such excitement that Sheriff S. E. Woodman yesterday caused the arrest of four people, in order that they

might be protected from further threatened rough handling. Some 20 of Machias' male residents seized Ernest Hanson, clerk in the Machias postoffice, and took him out along the railroad line and only his fervent promises to behave in the future saved him from serious harm. The victim is married and has a wife and two children.

EX-BANK HEAD ACQUITTED  
BURLINGTON, Vt., May 12.—George C. Averill, formerly president of the Vermont National bank of Brattleboro, was acquitted last night by a jury in the United States court of making false entries in his accounts. The case has been on trial since May 3. The jury was out something over 10 hours.

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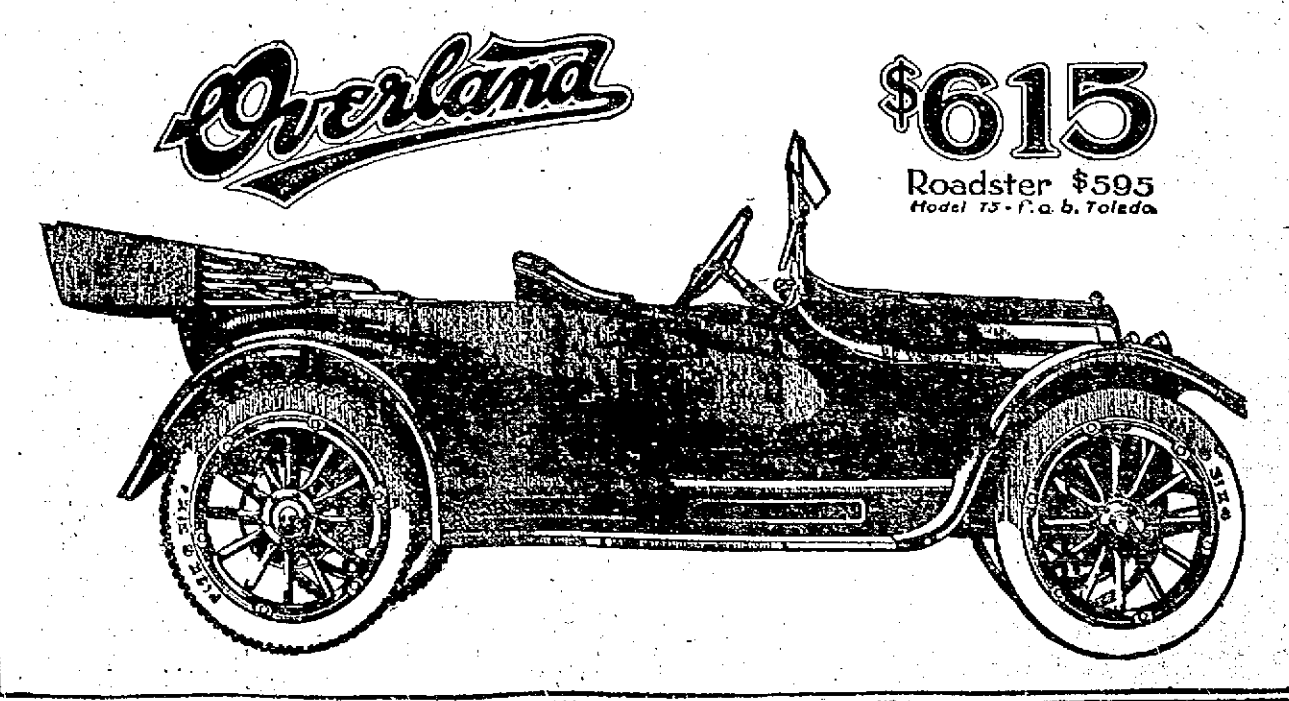
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## THEY DO SAY

The Lyle calls it the curiosity shop. That the outing season will soon be on. That Jimmie was on the short list again. That the "end seat hog" is with us again.

That Mayor O'Donnell is his own chauffeur. That Pete declined an invitation to the wine party. That Connie Cronin is still on the job at city hall.

That the amateur farmers in Lowell are numerous. That the good old summer time is right at our door.

That big trucks are becoming very popular in Lowell. That the battle wages warm for Martin Conley's job.

That the vacation days are drawing near. How's the wallet? That economy has nothing to do with the brevity of dress.

That Bill will say Charlie's next water bill will be a corker.

That honest men suffer for the dishonor in all walks of life.

That the deer seem to take kindly to their new home at Fort Hill.

That Lowell was well represented at the opening game in Boston.

That it isn't always fair weather when two autos come together.

That Owen says these are good evenings for a walk and a talk.

That no quarter should be shown the loafer in Lowell these days.

That the scene from the tenth story is most picturesque these days.

That the fans all seem to think Lowell has a good baseball team.

That asking a bartender to drink is like taking apples to an orchard.

That men who will throw stones at a squirrel ought to be locked up.

That one member of the school committee would rather fish than eat.

That the builders of the Chalmers street bridge are getting a move on.

That the average man can be as useful as he wants to make himself.

That the downright horse lover hasn't much use for the automobile.

That some of the local militiamen would like to get a peep into Mexico.

That the fellow who burns coal next winter will have to get an increase in pay.

That at least one of our aldermen is to be pitied for the advice he takes.

That the rowdies seem to have the upper hand of the cops in some districts.

That only the witnesses in the case attended the Pinder hearing on Wednesday.

That the average fellow we meet is just as happy as if he were in his right mind.

That "youth must have its fling" is truer today than ever and the "fling" seems greater.

That Commissioner Putnam wants to be shown where that 500,000 gallons of water is going.

That Abe says the hardest thing in the world to overcome is an appetite for cuss words.

That the "Man in the Moon" is soon to go up into New Hampshire on another fishing trip.

That certain ones are looking for new names to appear on the water department payroll.

That there are good men in all parties. Even the republican party can boast of a few.

That the president and secretary of the Lowell Fish and Game association are real live wires.

That the Lowell Driving club is preparing an elaborate schedule for the summer months.

That the pledged delegates are going to wait till the New Year before making new pledges.

That Edmond now allows the other fellow an "eternity" him at pool; of course there is a reason.

That when it comes to a show down the fellow who does his own thinking is the fellow worth while.

That the "traffic officer" at Merrimack square last Sunday did not remain on the job very long.

That however willing the heart may be to bespeak a job for a friend it is not always a pleasant duty.

That the average tax rate of the non-license cities of Massachusetts is lower than that of the license cities.

That old man Job had nothing on City Messenger Owen Monahan; neither for patience, nor for boils.

That Traffic Officer Sheridan is the man of the hour at the junction of Central and Merrimack streets.

That Clement is sampling a new brand of cigarettes and he is passing them around, to his friends, too.

That Middlesex street, which has been an eyesore for a long time, will soon become the pride of Lowell.

That the hardest fellow in the world to understand is the fellow who doesn't want himself understood.

That George Enwright has been reading the Quarter of a century column and is going to raise pigs himself.

That the Depot Cash Market must move and that good bargains for campers are offered at their sale.

That the parishioners of St. Louis' church are endeavoring to pay for their new church before it is built.

That the man who is sure of some knowledge is never ashamed to admit that there are things he doesn't know.

That a well known young lady lost her headpiece when she was crossing the Aiken street bridge last Thursday.

That if Charles Stickney can suggest some way of laying the dust he will prove himself a public benefactor.

That there is some question as to the right of the city government to grant public stands for unlicensed jitneys.

That everybody is wondering if Charlie Morse can't do a little something towards laying the dust in the streets.

That the contrast in activity between the waterways commission and

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city planning board is not favorable to the latter.

That while one hears much about the busy B's; they have nothing on the busy M's who head the Lowell board of trade.

That some men are tipped off when hearing the brink of their appropriations while others are allowed to go over the falls.

That Simon B. Harris hopes to live long enough to see the Merrimack river fairly teeming with salmon, as in days of yore.

That several letters sent to Canada containing money within the last few weeks are said not to have reached their destination.

That Henry is wondering why Geo. Bean sang "Blest be the Tighe that Binds," just because he went to Haverhill last Sunday.

That a newspaper will soon be published in Pawtucketville, and later the Oaklands, Highlands and Beilvere will follow suit.

That a large number of people are going to enjoy the second in the series of singing parties at the Highland club next Wednesday evening.

That some 200 uniformed men of the French-American Volunteer brigade will spend the day and their money in Lowell on Memorial day.

That the idea of pushing the clock ahead reminds one of Commissioner Donnelly's famous Scotch song: "It's nice to go up in the morning but it's nice to be in the night."

That they have changed the words of the old song and it now goes "they're shootin' men and women for the wearin' o' the green."

That a glance at the personnel of our new business men's battalion will cause any friendly soul to pray that there'll be no long hikes.

That Lucy Larcom park, barring points of its habits, is well worth looking at, as the result of the artistic work of the park department.

That the committee on waterways will have a big bill for stationery at the end of the year. Here's hoping the committee will not exceed its appropriation.

That some of the Lowell boys in the French trenches seem to enjoy life immensely, if one is to judge by the type of letters some of them are sending to their homes.

That while everybody is talking about pushing the clock ahead, somebody else is pushing the clock back two months, and again we're in hushy March.

That as long as that flag at Spalding park was hoisted under a retired regular army sergeant there was no harm done, and the superstitious fans may breathe easy.

That if the fishing stories told by "The Man in the Moon" be true he must be some fisherman. All his big catches have been in New Hampshire where fish markets abound.

That some people think Owen Monahan is the best politician at city hall. Others hold that George Bean is the champion. They are both past masters of the Glad Hand club.

That between the Huntington hall fund; the 800,000 paving blocks (latest figures) and the 500,000 gallons of water, Lowell's municipal lost column is assuming prodigious proportions.

That the game of "bridge" is enjoying unprecedented popularity in this city, for the city of Lowell, the Boston & Maine and the Pawtucketville Improvement association are all taking a hand at it.

That the historical sketches prepared by the National Geographic society of Washington in connection with the countries at war and appearing in the Sun from time to time are really interesting.

That when Officer Page of city hall made one of his semi-occasional visits to the police station, Wednesday afternoon, some of the superiors thought he was an out-of-town cop who had strayed from the fold.

That Squire Farley has resolved himself into what a member of the old common council once called a committee on "audiences and legislation," having been employed to revise and codify the city's ordinances; a work which has been badly needed for many years.

That those who attended the meeting of the Historical society at city hall Wednesday evening were well repaid for Mrs. Griffin's paper on the tragic romance of the Indian Princess Westamoo was a beautiful and touching story, admirably written and delivered.

## DANISH WEST INDIES

UNITED STATES MAY PURCHASE ISLANDS OF VIRGIN GROUP FROM DENMARK

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 13.—In connection with the news that the United States and Denmark are reported to be approaching an agreement on terms for the purchase of the Danish West Indies, the National Geographic society, from its Washington headquarters, has issued the following bulletin:

"If the United States and Denmark strike a bargain and the three islands which comprise the Danish West Indies are transferred to the former, the sale will mark the culmination of a bit of bartering which began nearly fifty years ago, when the American government offered \$7,500,000 for the 133 square miles of territory in the Antilles, a sum exceeding by \$300,000 the price paid to Russia in the same year (1867) for the vast, rich territory of Alaska, comprising an area more than four thousand times as large. The sale was not consummated, because the United States senate failed to ratify the treaty. Fourteen years ago negotiations were renewed and a price of \$5,000,000 was agreed upon, but this time the Danish parliament refused to sanction the sale, although the islands had been governed at 22 years in fact ever since slavery was abolished in 1848, thereby putting an end to the profitable operation of the sugar plantations.

"These three islands of the Virgin group—St. Croix, St. Thomas and John—in the order of their size and population were discovered by Columbus in 1493. Spanish, British, French, Dutch and Danish flags have floated over one or all of the islands at various times. St. Croix, lying 55 miles southeast of Porto Rico, has an area of 84 square miles, and is the most prosperous of the group with its two towns of Christiansted and Frederiksted. It was held at one time by the Knights of Malta, having been given to that famous order by Louis XIV. of France.

"St. Thomas, which lies only 11 miles east of Porto Rico, was one time the chief distributing center of West Indian trade, its importance being directly attributable to the fact

that the mother country, Denmark, maintained its neutrality during the numerous European wars of the eighteenth century. The temporary occupation of the island by the British during several periods of the Napoleonic wars added further to the importance of the chief port, Charlotte Amalie, where merchant vessels rode at anchor in the magnificent landlocked harbor while waiting for convoys to protect them on the voyage across the Atlantic. This town, with a population of less than 10,000, mainly negroes, is still an important coaling station for steamers in the West Indian trade. With a depth of from 27 to 35 feet of water, the roadstead can accommodate the largest merchant ships which sail these seas. The export and import trade has become negligible since the rapid decline of the sugar industry which the Danish government has tried in vain to revive by granting annual subsidies.

"St. John, least important of the islands, lying four miles to the east of St. Thomas, has an area of 21 square miles. It is scarcely more than a 10-mile mountain ridge with but one dismounting pass, the road to the best harbor of refuge in the Antilles, Cruxby, a village of one thousand inhabitants on the northern shore, is the center of population.

"While Danish is the official language of the islands, English is quite generally spoken. The monotonous existence is not infrequently broken by earthquakes and hurricanes.

"If Denmark decides to part with these islands they will remain to her only two colonial possessions—Greenland and Iceland, which have an aggregate area more than five times as large as the mother country, but with only one-twenty-seventh the population. The 133 square miles of Denmark's West Indian territory sustain nearly three times as many people as the 48,740 square miles of Greenland."

## SAVED A BOY'S LIFE

LITTLE CHILD SAVED FROM DROWNING IN A CANAL AT HALL STREET

But for the quick arrival and presence of mind of Theophile Courtis of 177 Hall street, and employed as a clerk at his father's store at 175 Hall street, another drowning would have been recorded this morning, for Mr. Courtis saved from a watery grave the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert L'Abbe of 6 Regina place.

Shortly before 10 o'clock this forenoon the L'Abbe boy with his brother, Edouard, six years old, and a cousin, Arsene, five years old, were playing on the banks of the canal in Cheever street between Alken street and Pawtucket street. The boys were seated on the edge of the canal and were playing in the water with their feet. Rene, who is not as tall as the other boys, could not reach the water and he attempted to lower himself to the water edge and fell in.

The boys shrieked for help and at this time Mr. Courtis was going through Cheever street with a basket of groceries. After hearing the cries for help, he vaulted the fence and without hesitating a moment threw himself into the water and succeeded in catching the little fellow, who was sinking for the third time. The boy, who was in a semi-conscious condition, was carried to the home of his parents by Mr. Courtis and now is none the worse for his cold bath. Mr. Courtis was warmly congratulated for his act of bravery by the many who witnessed his heroic feat.

**MARRIAGE INTENTIONS**  
Edward D. Ricker, 36, baggage master, 134 St. Hope street, and Anna Della Plouffe, 22, operative, Cohoes, N. Y.

Joseph M. Shaughnessy, 29, piano tuner, 26 Tyler street, and Margaret E. Vincent, 28, cashier and bookkeeper, 272 Geneva avenue.

Alfred P. Masse (widowed), 58, barber, 90 Mt. Vernon street, and Mary A. Akery (widowed), 53, at home, 26 Sheed street.

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## PREPAREDNESS PARADE

### 145,000 Men and Women, With 200 Bands, in Big Demonstration in New York

NEW YORK, May 13.—New York's belief that the nation should prepare for war was expressed today by nearly 145,000 men and women marching in one of the greatest processions ever assembled for the promotion of an idea.

Twenty abreast, filling the streets from curb to curb, keeping in step to the patriotic tunes of 200 bands, the parade that began this morning will last for twelve hours or longer.

Many business houses were closed while the city gave itself up to its celebration of "preparedness day." The sidewalks from the Battery to 59th street, the start and finish of the parade, were crowded and it was estimated that at least one million persons saw the demonstration.

Twenty thousand women were in the parade. Workers in 200 occupations, lawyers and other professional men, city officials and city employees and 10,000 members of the National Guard in uniform and thousands of veterans of the Spanish war composed the long column. The lawyers were led by twenty justices of the supreme court.

The marchers were divided into sixty-four divisions. The hour set for the start was 9:30 a. m., and it was expected that the last division would not reach the disbanding point until 10:30 o'clock tonight.

Demonstrations for a place in the parade so greatly exceeded the time and space that the promoters were compelled to reject 60,000 applications. Beginning at the Battery, at the southern tip of Manhattan island, the divisions fell in line at intervals all the way up Broadway, Center and Lafayette streets and Fifth avenue nearly to the reviewing stand erected in Madison square.

There, from a stand containing thousands of spectators, Major Gen. Wood, Rear Admiral Nathan Bushner, commander of the New York navy yard, and Mayor Michel reviewed the parade. Nearly every trade and profession was represented.

Anti-preparedness bodies endeavored to offset the preparedness spirit by circulation among the spectators of circulars. Across Fifth avenue from the reviewing stand the Woman's Peace party hung out a banner with the inscription:

"There are only 100,000 of you. You are not the only patriots. Two million families, five hundred thousand mine workers and organized labor of America are opposed to what you and Wall street are marching for. Are you sure you are right?"

## ARRESTED IN LOWELL

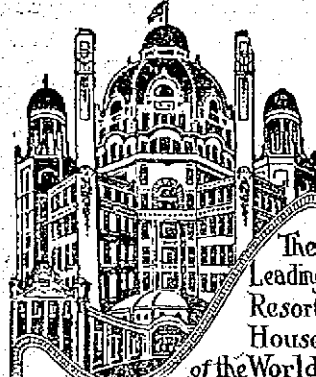
### Bernard J. Walsh Held in \$1000 at Manchester on Charge of Breaking and Entering

MANCHESTER, N. H., May 13.—Bernard J. Walsh, who was arrested in Lowell, Mass., Thursday for the local police, was arraigned in the municipal court here yesterday, charged with breaking and entering the house of Hector J. LaBonte, 216 Granite street. He is said to have taken goods worth \$65.

Walsh pleaded guilty and was held in \$1000 for the September grand jury. Being unable to procure bail he was lodged in jail.

### Kenwood Sunday School

Rev. Fr. Bedard of St. Louis parish will hold a Sunday school session at the house of Mr. Rivet in Kenwood at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon for the Catholic children in that district.



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NEXT SATURDAY, MAY 20, AT 3 O'CLOCK

Single house, double house and about 3740 square feet of land at No. 37 Fourth street and 56 and 58 Read street. The house fronting Fourth street consists of five rooms, bath, pantry, set tubs and steam heat, lighted throughout by gas and in very good condition; occupied by a good tenant, and rents for \$144 a year. The double house, fronting on Read street, has six rooms, bath, pantry, set tubs, lighted throughout by gas with each flat. The house is in very good condition, is occupied by good tenants and rents for \$144 each a year, making a total yearly rental of \$432. Now, then, the fact of this property being located on the corner is certainly a great advantage. It is convenient to schools, churches, fire department and many large industries, within 10 minutes' walk of Merrimack square and many large industries. Now, Mr. Homeowner, here is your opportunity to make a safe and sound investment, where you can occupy one tenement and have the rental of the other two. Remember, the sale will be absolute, on the premises, rain or shine.

Deposit of \$400 as soon as struck off. A good, liberal mortgage can remain at 5 per cent. The above property belongs to a Boston man and he has left me in full charge.

C. F. KEYES.

TUESDAY, MAY 16, AT 3 O'CLOCK

Personal property at the Brockton baseball park, consisting of the grandstand, bleachers, ticket office and all fencing around the park, about 800 folding polo seats, steel lockers, round rollers, piping, etc.

Terms: Cash.

C. F. KEYES in Charge.

## FARMERS' BALL GRAND OLD MAN

### Very Successful Affair by C.Y.M.L. in Associate Hall Last Night

With Associate hall crowded to the doors the annual "farmers' ball," under the auspices of the C.Y.M.L., was held last evening and the affair like all others conducted by the popular society was a success in every particular.

Early in the evening the members and friends who were to participate in the march assembled at the Lyceum rooms on Suffolk street and headed by a "truly rural" band paraded through the downtown streets. All along the line of march the rubes and their "gals" made a great hit and many were so impressed with the appearance of the parade and the fine music that they followed the procession to the hall. Upon reaching the hall the boss farmer announced that all was in readiness for the grand march. Headed by Charles Miner then struck a starting note and the fun was on. The march was one of the best of the season, and all characters familiar to the farm, and others not so familiar were portrayed. While the various evolutions were being executed the judges were stationed on the stage where they gave all the once over, but so difficult was the task of selecting the winners, that the judges were obliged to keep the paraders going and gave all the double o many times before finally deciding on the successful participants. The awards, included watches and other valuable pieces of jewelry.

The winners finally agreed upon were: First woman's prize, won by Miss Susan Warren; first man's prize, John Mitchell; second woman's prize, won by Miss Agnes White; second man's prize, Leo Whelton; third woman's prize, Miss Theresa McDermott; third man's prize, Ervin Loucraft. The judges were Edward J. Cox, Joseph L. Cronin and William H. Sullivan.

The selections proved very popular and as the winners were called to the stage to receive their prizes they were loudly applauded.

General dancing, to music by Miner's orchestra, was enjoyed by the large gathering, during the latter part of the evening.

The officers of the evening were: Boss farmer, Silas P. McLaughlin; assistant boss farmer, Jake J. Foley; foreman, Seth J. Martyn; assistant foreman, Joseph J. Hessling; boss layman, Phil Mitchell; grand Randall, Jake Flannery; haymen, town members of the C.Y.M.L.; town clerk, Hank Murphy.

## HON. JOHN JACOB ROGERS

### CONGRESSMAN USES INFLUENCE IN BEHALF OF KNITTING MILLS OF HUDSON

Special to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 13.—Representative Rogers has brought to the attention of the state department the attention of the state department for the Hudson Knitting Mills of Hudson, that the Swiss needles required by their machines are held by the French authorities, who will not permit them to pass through that country. The state department will at once take up the matter with the French ambassador, and is hopeful of an early adjustment that will let the needles reach the United States.

McGillicuddy Bill Reported

The house committee on judiciary has made a favorable report on the McGillicuddy bill to pension United States employees injured in performance of duty.

RICHARDS.

## BOY DROWNED IN RIVER

### SAD FATALITY IN WHICH CHILD OF THREE YEARS IS VICTIM—ATTEMPTED RESCUE FAILED

While playing on the banks of the Concord river at the foot of Chestnut street yesterday afternoon, John Deirasa, aged 3 years, and son of Mr. and Mrs. William Deirasa of 79 Davison street, fell into the water and was drowned despite the efforts of a couple of men to save him. The body was recovered late in the afternoon and removed to the funeral parlors of Undertakers Joseph Albert & Son in Aiken street and subsequently to the home of the parents.

Shortly after the accident the matter was reported to the police and a number of officers were sent to the scene, but although they grappled the river they failed to locate the body. It was stated that after the boy fell into the water his playmates, Anthony and Victor Belkos, two little fellows, gave the alarm. A Mr. Rich of the Mindessex Co. and Harry Mosley, superintendent of the plant, jumped into the water and waded out neck high groping out in a fruitless endeavor to save the child.

Shortly before 5 o'clock the body was seen floating almost beneath the bridge in Andover street and John Stowell, a 14-year-old G.M.I. cadet, waded his services as a swimmer, and disrobing swam out to the body. Meanwhile a rope was lowered from the bridge and tied about the body by Young Stowell. The body was later hauled out of the water.

## LOWELL MAN AGAINST

### REP. MURPHY OPPOSES BILL TO ABOLISH STATE BOARD OF INSANITY

BOSTON, May 13.—The ways and means committee of the house of representatives has reported "ought to pass," with three dissenters, on the bill to abolish the state board of insanity and to establish in place of it the Massachusetts Commission on Mental Diseases. The dissenters are Messrs. A. Murphy of Lowell, William J. Barry of Rockland and John J. Fitzgerald of Boston. The new measure provides for a paid director at an annual salary of \$7500 and four associates who shall serve without compensation.

The committee on harbors and public lands has reported as a resolve to authorize the state forester to make a further investigation with regard to the advisability of taking Mt. Holyoke as a state reservation.

The committee on cities has reported "ought to pass" on a resolve for a referendum to the voters of Springfield on the question of revising the city charter and "reference to the next legislature" on the petition for a revision of the Springfield city charter.

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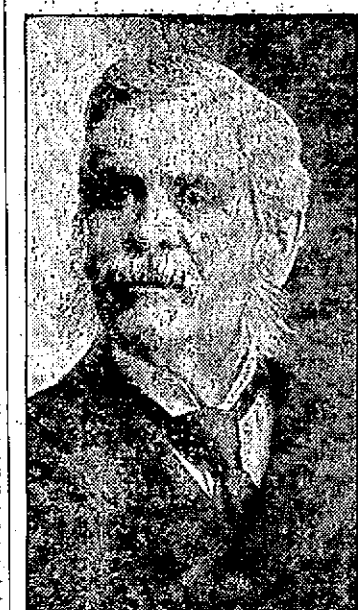
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## Deacon Langley's Birthday Celebrated at Annual Roll Call

In connection with its roll call of members the First Universalist church, last night, celebrated the 83rd birthday anniversary of Deacon Clark M. Langley. The church and Deacon Langley have lived the same number of years and to celebrate his birthday at the annual roll call was decidedly apropos.

Rev. C. E. Fisher, D.D., called the roll of members and when Deacon Langley's name was called, he responded.



DEACON CLARK M. LANGLEY

Spended, with reminiscences of his membership with the church here and formerly in Nashua. The members who have known him so intimately through his faithful church membership for many years, cheered him heartily, and Dr. Fisher made kindly and appreciative reference to him in his remarks.

Dr. Fisher announced the membership of the church as follows: November, 1915, 256; dismissed by letter, 2; lost by death, 5. Number joined, June, 1915, 3; April, 1916, 13; number belonging May 12, 1916, 255.

The calling of the roll was interspersed with music by Mrs. F. L. Roberts, Mrs. Winifred Plagg Symonds, Harry Needham, and three Melton boys, Gilbert and Norman Singing, while Edwin accompanied with the violin. Mrs. Helen Hamilton Taylor played the piano accompaniments.

Refreshments were served by a committee of ladies of which Miss Eva Goulding was chairman. The table centerpiece was a large bouquet of pinks, which was given to Deacon Langley in honor of his birthday.

## AT KENWOOD SCHOOL

### PARENT-TEACHERS ASSOCIATION HELD ENTERTAINMENT AT THE SCHOOL

Thursday evening of this week was enjoyed by the Parent-Teacher association of the Kenwood school in the form of a Children's night, when all the school children were entertained by the association. Ice-cream and cake were served by the committee, which consisted of Mrs. Cheney, Mrs. Curry and Mrs. Corbett. The following entertainment was much enjoyed: Songs, Grades 3, 4 and 5; solo, What a Wonderful Mother You'd Be, Mr. Manuel Aguiar; grades 3 and 4; children polka, grades 3 and 4; reading, The Whistling Reel, Miss Florence Delaney; song, Grades 5 and 6; violin solo, Mr. Donovan; Swedish "Klap" dance, grades 1 and 2; solo, My Mother's Rosary, Miss Viola Warren; dramatization of Epaminondas, grade 2; Star Spangled Banner by children and audience. Misses Garvey, Gallagher, Powers and Leblanc, and Messrs. Aguiar and Davis had charge of the entertainment. A business meeting was called after the entertainment and it was voted to hold special meeting the second Thursday in June.

## AMERICAN FINANCIAL COMMISSION

LIMA, Peru, May 13.—The American financial commission which has been visiting Peru departed today on its way to Bolivia.

600 REFUGEES ARRIVE

NEW YORK, May 13.—More than 600 refugees from Greece and Serbia were among the 1403 steerage passengers on the Italian steamship Duca d'Aosta which arrived here today from Mediterranean ports.

## Woman Was Prepared

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## Met Death Jumping a Ride at Roxbury—Bodies Mangled

BOSTON, May 13.—Two Roxbury boys, Michael Kelley, aged 16, of 988 Columbus avenue, and John W. O'Brien, aged 15, of 8 Kent street, were instantly killed about 8:20 last evening on the New Haven railroad, some 300 feet west of Heath street station, Roxbury. They had just stepped from an outgoing freight train into the path of an incoming passenger train, which struck and mangled them so badly that the Kelley boy was hardly recognizable.

They were of a party of five or six and after the fatal accident some of the other boys rushed from the railroad tracks to Columbus avenue, where they told Patrolman Tripp of the accident. Tripp found the bodies on the roadbed. They were removed to the mortuary.

Conductor James McFarlane of New York, and Engineer Landford of Belmont street, Somerville, did not know that their train killed the boys until when looking the engine over at the South station they noticed blood stains and parts of a human body on the cowcatcher.

From what could be learned, the boys "jumped" the freight train near the bridge over Ruggles street and left it at Heath street. Patrolman McEachern, who is on fixed post at Roxbury Crossing, saw the boys on the freight train, passed, but he was not near enough to drive them off.

The news of the fatal accident spread through Roxbury and soon after it became known, the Roxbury Crossing station was well filled with anxious parents. Among them was Michael Kelley, who had a premonition that his son was killed and pleaded with Lieut. Hennessey and Sgt. Ryan to tell him the names of the dead boys. They had not been identified then and Kelley became hysterical, believing the police were keeping the information away from him.

In the evening the president went to the show where he was just "one of the boys." He ate peanuts, drank pink lemonade and had a jolly good time. He laughed at the clowns, fanned himself, and Mrs. Wilson with a big palm-leaf fan—for the thermometer was touching 90 degrees in the shade—and watched every move in the three rings. When the presidential party entered the great tent, the crowd rose and cheered. The president wasn't slow in taking advantage of it to show that he expects to be in the thickest of the fight at the coming election. For his passing one of the rings he made a move as if to throw his hat into it—and then the crowd cheered all the more. With him were Mrs. Wilson, Secretary and Mrs. McAdoo and a large party of friends.

## FOR MEMORIAL DAY

### UNITED BANDS WILL PARADE WITH VETERANS—U. S. CARTRIDGE CO. BAND WILL BE IN LINE

A few days ago it was said that the Musicians' union would not allow union musicians to participate in the Memorial day parade because certain members of the committee in charge of the parade were desirous of hiring the U. S. Cartridge Co. band, but this trouble has been amicably settled and the U. S. Cartridge Co. band will be in line in company with the Lowell Military band.

All of the members of the U. S. Cartridge Co. band are union men, with the exception of three, and these three will probably be initiated into membership at a special meeting of the union to be held Sunday.

A. I. Gilman, chairman of the Memorial day music committee gave out a statement yesterday to the effect that both the Cartridge Co. band and the Lowell Military band have been hired to escort the Grand Army posts on Memorial day and that the Spanish Veterans will be headed by the Sixth Regiment band. This will make three bands in line.

President John J. Giblin, president of the Musicians' union has stated that William Regan, leader of the U. S. Cartridge Co. band, and two other members have filed applications for membership in the union and that a special meeting of the union will be held on Sunday to pass upon the applications.

## THE MODERN BLUEBEARD

### WOMEN VICTIMS OF BELAR KISS TOTAL IS—BODIES OF THREE STRANGLED WIVES FOUND

BUDAPEST, May 13.—Official investigation of the case of the modern Bluebeard, in the village of Cinkota, who, it develops, was known as Belar Kiss, showed that the man made a practice for years of deceiving women by marriage advertisements, securing their money on marriage promises and then murdering them.

The police have a record of 15 women, all missing, with whom Kiss was associated. In the house he had occupied were discovered packages of love letters from all parts of the world, including the United States.

Four of seven sealed leaden cases found in the dwelling were opened. Three contained the bodies of strangled women.

There appears to be no doubt that Kiss died at Valjevo, Serbia. Although he rarely worked, he spent money so generously that he was known generally as the "American Uncle."

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## EVENTS AT WASHINGTON

### Pres. Wilson's Frolic at Circus—New Hampshire Feud Settled by Appointment

Special to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 13.—Talk about a circus? Why we of New England don't know even the rudiments of following a parade! It takes the complete abandonment of a semi-southern city to do justice to the occasion.

Today I reached the capitol just as "The greatest show on earth" was passing. Trailing along behind the procession were thousands of men, women and children, both white and black. There are 100,000 negroes in the city of Washington and I am sure every one of them was there, and that with them came most of their kin from just over the Maryland and Virginia lines. Up the broad avenue they swarmed, trotting along at a lively pace behind the elephants and camels to the old line of "Alexander's Rag Time Band" lustily tooted from the top of a gorgeous gold circus wagon. They were of all kinds and conditions, from the husky old man and fat mammy in gayest of turbans, to troops of little darlings ranging in color from the ace of spades to a delicate chocolate. Dressed in their best bib and tuckers, ribbon bedecked or in lace, as the case might be; and with eyes fairly popping out of their little round heads, they tumbled all over each other as they tried to keep up with the procession and see all parts of the parade at once. It was just the same with the "grown-ups." No one in that crowd bothered as to "who is who," all they wanted was to enjoy themselves. And they did.

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## COTTON REPORT

### 531,716 Running Bales, Exclusive of Linters Used During April

WASHINGTON, May 13.—Cotton used during April amounted to 531,716 running bales, exclusive of linters, and for the nine months, 4,760,705 bales, the census bureau announced today. Last year 514,000 bales were used during the first nine months of the season.

Cotton on hand April 30 in consuming establishments was 2,006,512 bales compared with 1,830,979 a year ago, and in public storage and at compresses 2,814,897 bales compared with 2,445,892 a year ago.

Cotton spun active during April numbered 32,113,811 compared with 30,203,509 a year ago.

Imports of foreign cotton during April amounted to 67,473 bales, against 51,479 a year ago, and for the nine months 381,533 bales, against 261,268 a year ago.

Exports during April amounted to 515,815 bales against 672,035 a year ago, and for the nine months 4,645,920 bales, against 5,351,566 a year ago.

Linters, not included in the foregoing statistics, were: Used, 71,236 bales in April against 38,454 a year ago, and for the nine months, 705,251 bales, against 362,817 a year ago; on hand April 30 in consuming establishments 134,435 bales, against 170,587 a year ago, and in public storage and at compresses 178,246 bales against 81,086 a year ago.

Linters exported in April (included in the foregoing export figures) amounted to 36,707 bales compared with 17,609 a year ago and for the nine months 151,375 bales, compared with 175,533 a year ago.

## SUNK BY THE GERMANS

### CAPTAIN OF SWEDISH SCHOONER GIVES ACCOUNT OF SINKING OF HIS SHIP

STOCKHOLM, via London, May 13.—The captain of the Swedish schooner Harald gives in the Dagens Nyheter an account of the sinking of his ship by a German submarine in the North sea on May 5. The ship was halted by the submarine, the commander of which gave the crew 15 minutes in which to abandon the schooner. The captain of the Harald refused to obey the order and hoisted the Swedish flag. The Germans then boarded the schooner and poured petroleum over the ship and lit it. They then attacked the captain with enticements, forcing him into a small boat. The blazing petroleum not destroying the Harald quick enough, the ship was sunk by gun fire from the submarine.

## CHARGED WITH MURDER

### CASE OF KAPLAN HELD AS RESULT OF LOS ANGELES TIMES GOES TO JURY

LOS ANGELES, Calif., May 13.—The case of David Kaplan, on trial here for murder, as a result of the destruction of the Los Angeles Times building by an explosion Oct. 1, 1910, in which 20 men were killed, is to be submitted to the jury today.

But now the feud seems ended and the settlement among New Hampshire men in Washington is that the democratic party of that state will put together in the coming campaign and

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